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TOWN OFFICERS, 1948

Moderator

Norman McDonald	Term expires 1949
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Selectmen

Albert Bindon	Term expires 1949
Harold G. Ashley	Term expires 1950
John P. Pilling	Term expires 1951

Treasurer

Francis F. G. Andrews	Term expires 1949
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Assessors

Milton A. Babbitt	Term expires 1949
Anthony Sylvia	Term expires 1950
Norman E. Whittaker	Term expires 1951

Highway Surveyor

Linneus C. Whitaker	Term expires 1949
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School Committee

William A. Cox	Term expires 1949
Ruth O. Babbitt	Term expires 1950
Gil A. Bettencourt	Term expires 1951

Collector of Taxes

Francis F. G. Andrews	Term expires 1950
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Auditor

Warren M. Ide	Term expires 1949
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Trustees of Public Library

Ruth O. Babbitt	Term expires 1949
Florence M. Macomber	Term expires 1950
Lizzie J. Howland	Term expires 1951

Burial Ground Commissioners

Lewis W. Ashley	Term expires 1949
Lucy F. White	Term expires 1950
Wojciech Pysz	Term expires 1951

Tree Warden

Linneus C. Whitaker	Term expires 1949
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Town Clerk

Francis F. G. Andrews	Term expires 1951
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Constables

Terms expiring in 1949:

Harold G. Ashley	Eino H. Silvan
William B. Mitchell	Charles E. Harrison
William A. Cox	Linneus C. Whitaker
Hiram E. Young	

Finance Committee

John Q. Dillingham, Chairman

Herbert Aspinall	Joseph D. Rose
Eric G. Olsson	Henry K. Goff
Charles A. Cady	Laurence B. Swift

Memorial Day Committee

Gil A. Bettencourt	R. Donald Andrews
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	

SELECTMEN'S APPOINTMENTS IN 1948**Supervisor of Relief**

Albert Bindon

Clerk of Welfare Board

Susan A. Atterbury*
Ruth Avery

Director of Veterans' Services

R. Donald Andrews

Chief of Police

Harold G. Ashley

Chief of Fire Department

Albert Bindon

Inspector of Slaughtering

Joseph O. Freeman

Inspector of Animals

Joseph O. Freeman

Moth Superintendent

Alvin E. Briggs

Fence Viewers, and Measurers of Wood and Lumber

Lawrence Barrow

L. Clyde Cummings

Benjamin O. Jones

Pound Keeper

Francis E. Fournier

Dog Officer

Anthony Sylvia

Town Counsel

Gordon M. Owen

Inspector of Wiring

Clarence O'Neill

Honor Roll Committee

Gil A. Bettencourt

R. Donald Andrews

Burial Agent

R. Donald Andrews

Sealer of Weights and Measures

William B. Mitchell

Caretaker of Veterans' Graves

R. Donald Andrews

Police Officers

Joseph L. Anthony

William A. Cox

Harry J. Gaffney

Charles E. Harrison

William B. Mitchell

Eino H. Silvan

Laurence B. Swift, Jr.

Anthony Sylvia

Allen M. Talbot

Linneus C. Whitaker

Hiram E. Young

*Resigned.

ORGANIZATION OF BOARDS, 1948

Selectmen: Albert Bindon, Chairman John P. Pilling, Clerk
Welfare: Albert Bindon, Chairman
Health: Albert Bindon, Chairman

JURY LISTS

Names added to the 1947 list :

Isaac S. Barton, Myricks St.	Farmer
Russell E. Combs, Porter St.	Florist
Ernest A. Greene, Bay View Ave.	Laborer
John A. Longton, Berkley St.	Threadgrinder
Maurice P. Nadeau, Berkley St.	Foreman
Stuart N. Paull, Bryant St.	Farmer
Richard W. Pilling, Berkley St.	Packer
Wojciech Pysz, North Main St.	Machinist
Frederick A. Reed, Locust St.	Stove Inspector
Forrest E. Washburn, Myricks St.	Farmer

Names drawn in 1948 from 1947 list :

Isaac S. Barton	Raymond W. Hambly
Ernest A. Greene	Stuart N. Paull
Maurice P. Nadeau	Forrest E. Washburn
Frederick A. Reed	Ralph R. Cochrane
Frank W. Carroll	Norman L. Oakes
	Bion L. Pierce

1948 Jury List

Effective from July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949.

*Charles E. Ashley, Macomber St.	Carpenter
*Manuel R. Barboza, Berkley St.	Store owner
Ernest H. Brailey, Mill St.	Mechanic
*Merton L. Briggs, Algerine St.	Mail carrier
Charles A. Cady, County St.	Salesman
Everlon W. Clark, Bay View Ave.	Mechanic
*Russell E. Combs, Porter St.	Florist
Joseph O. Freeman, Berkley St.	Farmer
Warren A. Holmes, Myricks St.	Printer
*John A. Longton, Berkley St.	Threadgrinder
Philip A. McEnaney, South Main St.	Press operator
Paul J. Moskal, Bay View Ave.	Dairyman
*John C. Murphy, Myricks St.	Painter
Richard W. Pilling, Berkley St.	Packer
Wojciech Pysz, North Main St.	Machinist
*Anthony Sylvia, Point St.	Assessor
George H. Turcott, Myricks St.	Truck driver

Wallace Westgate, Berkley St.
Meredith C. Wilson, South Main St.

Buffer
Printer

*Drawn, July 1 to Dec. 31, 1948. -

ALBERT BINDON
JOHN P. PILLING
HAROLD G. ASHLEY
Board of Selectmen

Attest: Francis F. G. Andrews, Town Clerk

ESTIMATES FOR 1949

Moderator's Salary	\$ 20.00
Selectmen's Salaries	400.00
Selectmen's Expense	100.00
Auditor's Salary	55.00
Auditor's Expense	15.00
Treasurer's Salary	500.00
Treasurer's Expense	350.00
Tax Title Expense	300.00
Collector's Salary	500.00
Collector's Expense	325.00
Assessors' Salaries	1,100.00
Assessors' Expense	250.00
Town Council	100.00
Town Clerk Salary	150.00
Town Clerk Fees	80.00
Town Clerk Expense	50.00
Election & Registration	275.00
Town Hall Expense	250.00
Police Department	500.00
Fire Department	1,500.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures Salary	48.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures Expense	25.00
Moth Department	750.00
Tree Department	500.00
Dog Officer's Account	150.00
Board of Health Expense	700.00
Mosquito Control	25.00
Chapter 81 Highway	3,150.00
Chapter 90 Highway	1,000.00
Chapter 90 Padelford Street	1,500.00
Road Machinery Account	125.00
Berkley & Dighton Bridge Account	375.00
Snow Removal & Sanding 1949	
Street Lights	100.00
Board of Public Welfare Salaries	150.00
Public Welfare Administration Account	1,000.00
Temporary Aid	3,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,500.00
Old Age Assistance Aid	16,000.00
Department of Veterans Service	400.00
School Committee Salary	160.00

School Department	34,212.70
Public Library	900.00
Incidentals	50.00
Memorial Day	45.00
Town Reports	
Building at Myricks	50.00
Honor Roll	50.00
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	300.00
Reserve Account	1,000.00
Care of Veterans Graves	50.00
Cemetery	100.00
Interest	75.00
Berkley & Dighton Bridge Painting	450.00
Pension Fund	123.99
Grinnell Street	500.00
Burt Street	500.00
Expenses of Finance Committee	70.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

We are pleased to be able to report the Town is in good financial condition with no outstanding debt.

During the past year the proposed layout on Padelford Street was not undertaken as plans were not available in time. Plans have now been provided and the project will be started at an early date. The increased estimated cost will require the Town to provide an additional sum of \$1,500.00, making a total of \$4,500.00 as the Town's share. The State has allotted the sum of \$9,000.00 and the County \$4,500.00, for a total of \$18,000.00 for the project.

During the coming year we shall complete the work started on Friend Street, the work being done under Chapter 81. We also recommend appropriations to be made for the repair of Burt and Grinnell Streets. This will be further explained at the Annual Business Meeting.

This year it will be necessary to provide a sum of money for repairs of the Town Hall, especially the roof, and we recommend an appropriation of 500.00 for this work we also recommend that the Town provide the sum of \$450.00 for the painting of the Berkley and Dighton Bridge. This work to be done under Chapter 90 — the State and County having provided a like amount.

It will be necessary in the coming year to appoint a Board of Registrars as the registered voters are now over 600, and the Statutes require such a Board to be appointed.

We shall continue to do all we can to keep expenditures at the lowest possible cost consistent with the best interest of the Town.

At this time we wish to express our appreciation to the Finance Committee and all others who have co-operated with us in the conduct of the Town business.

ALBERT BINDON
JOHN P. PILLING
HAROLD G. ASHLEY

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT

In submitting my report as Supervisor for the year 1948, I must draw your attention to the ever increasing cost. While the case load under the Old Age Assistance Law is the same as at the beginning of the year, the cost per case has increased through the increase authorized by the State Department of Public Welfare. Total expenditures for Old Age Assistance through 1948 has been \$29,498.55 as compared with \$26,716.26 for 1947, an increase of \$2,782.29.

The case load under the Aid to Dependent Children Law as of January 1, was 3 cases. One was closed early in the year, and one other through a change in the status of the case cost considerably less, with the result that our total cost for the year has been \$1,787.03 as against \$3,264.67 for the year 1947, a decrease of \$1,477.64.

Expenditures for Temporary Aid were \$3,161.82 as compared with \$1,472.67 for 1947, an increase of \$1,689.15. Administration cost for all categories totalled \$382.01, an increase of \$137.79 for the past year.

In the past year, Miss Atterbury resigned as Clerk, having taken a permanent position in Boston. We were fortunate to be able to acquire the services of Miss Ruth Avery who is doing excellent work.

At this time I wish to express my appreciation to you as members of the Board, to the Town Treasurer, our former Clerk, Miss Atterbury, and Miss Avery our present Clerk for their fine co-operation in carrying out the duties of this office.

ALBERT BINDON
Supervisor

TOWN MEETINGS, 1948

Seven town meetings were held in 1948. These were the annual business meeting March 1, the annual town election March 15, the presidential primaries April 27, a special town meeting April 29, the state primaries September 14, the state election November 2, and a special town meeting November 15.

TOWN PAPERS RECORDED IN 1948

Papers recorded in the clerk's office in 1948 included the warrants for the seven meetings and the records of these meetings; the record of oaths of office administered by the town clerk; the organization of the selectmen, including the welfare and health boards; the appointments by the selectmen and the salaries set by them for their appointees; the appointments to the Finance Committee; and the results of the several elections.

No amendments to the town's by-laws were made in 1948.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

As of Jan. 1, 1948, there were 606 names on the town's voting list. In 1948, 89 names were added, and 47 names were removed. This left 648 names on the list at the close of 1948, while for the biennial state election in 1948, 649 persons were registered voters. The growing number of Berkley residents is reflected in the vote cast at that election; 525 voters casting their ballots for a new record vote in the town.

PUBLIC NOTICE

As required by law, public notice is hereby given that the town clerk will furnish blanks for returns of births, to parents, householders, physicians and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor.

DEATHS RECORDED IN 1948

Date of Death	Name	Y	Age		D	Place of Death
			M			
1947 -						
Dec. 30	Walter C. Chamberlain	65	5	7		Taunton
1948						
Jan. 15	William Melesky			2		Taunton
27	Minnie (Wasserman) Lawrence	71	8	12		Taunton
Feb. 4	Susan Hathaway	86				Berkley
19	Alfred Thomas Townley	79	10	1		Berkley
28	Manuel S. Ferreira	72				Taunton
	Also known as Manuel F. Smith					
Mar. 11	H. Huntley Perry	59	3	12		Fall River
12	Amelia J. Furtado	62				Fall River
14	Lillian (Eccleston) Olsson	70	6			Taunton
May 1	Anthony Cambra	44	1	4		Berkley
June 2	Gerald E. Miller		5	28		Berkley
14	Paul Sampson Trenouth	16	7	20		Boston
July 13	Stillborn					Taunton
Aug. 30	Manuel Enos Souza	69				Berkley
Sept. 29	Antonia (Mazzola) Tibbitts	34				Attleboro
Oct. 8	Charles Harris Maconber	77	2	3		Berkley
28	Edmund Yates Anthony	74	11	4		Newport, R. I.
Nov. 28	Chester F. White	67	10	6		Berkley

BIRTHS RECORDED IN 1948

Date of Birth	Name	Parents	Place of Birth
1947			
Oct. 17	Jo-Ann	Joseph and Ann Trzcinski	Fall River
Nov. 26	David Allen	Clarence and Eileen Freeman	Taunton
Dec. 2	John	Joseph and Mary Fernandes	Taunton
29	Gary Everett	Edward and Arlene Grace	Taunton
1948			
Jan. 13	William Stephen	William and Ann Melesky	Taunton
Feb. 20	Margaret	Francis and Marietta Fournier	Taunton
24	Rodney Albert	Richard and Frances Perry	Fall River
Mar. 2	Richard Wayne	John and Olive Frizado	Fall River
3	Byron Rodney	Clifton and Viola Holmes	Taunton
28	David Neil	George and Agnes Wilson	Fall River
May 12	Richard Marlowe	Maynard and Thelma Sylvester	Taunton
14	Ellen Margaret	Charles and Evelyn Cady	Taunton
June 8	Andrea Alana	George and Iona Travers	Taunton
July 1	Carla Jo-Ann	Emil and Kathleen Kleiner	Taunton
13	Stillborn		Taunton
29	Joseph	Antone and Rose Piechota	Taunton
Aug. 29	Frances Irene	Warren and Jacoppina Sylvester	Taunton
Sept. 1	Edward Ralph	Harold and Dorothy Dimsey	Taunton
5	Anne Linda	Anthony and Angelina Rose	Taunton
7	Craig Francis	Carlton and Jeannette McCauley	Taunton

9	Carol Marie	Edward and Helen Roman	Taunton
14	Lewis Alton	Stanley and Doris Trond	Taunton
30		Ernest and Ida Desrosiers	Taunton
Oct. 17	Steven Cummings	Gilbert and Mildred Rapoza	Fall River
Delayed certificates, recorded 1948			
1942			
July 27	Virginia May	Richard and Amelia Rose	Dighton
1947			
Apr. 12	Irene Mae	Willard and Eleanor Paul	Dighton
Corrections, recorded 1948			
1894			
June 25	Ruth Esther	Joseph and Lizzie Howland	Berkley
1942			
Sept. 5	Carol Jean	Antone and Rose Terra	Taunton

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN 1948

Date of Marriage	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Place of Marriage
1947			
Sept. 27	Theodore Joseph Tanguay	Charlotte Mary Barton	Rumford, Me.
Dec. 20	John Maxon Allen	Emma Elizabeth Delano	Pawtucket, R. I.
1948			
Jan. 3	Theodore Valentine Deglau	Theresa Juliet DeMille	Taunton
10	Edwin Dwelly Jones, Jr.	Elly Scheep	Freetown
Mar. 13	Coster Rose	Emily Louise Crimlisk	Berkley
27	Roland Duquette	Rosalie (Bouvier) McAndrews	Berkley
Apr. 17	Joseph R. Menezes	Dorothy T. McKenney	Taunton
May 17	Walter Stanley Wonchoba	Mary (Pasternak) King	Taunton
31	Raymond Elmer Stratton	Rossa Pratt Jones	Berkley
June 5	Arthur Farnum Dillingham	Eleanor Ruth Amato	Seekonk
12	Joseph Sylvain	Mary Conception Fernandes	Taunton
July 3	James William McCrohan	Evelyn Edna Thibault	Fall River
3	Howard Stephen Miller	Lois Mildred Babbitt	Taunton
10	Anthony Cambra	Irene Losowski	Taunton
31	Charles Raymond Conroy	Irene Rosalie (Bernier) Rickey	Berkley
Aug. 21	Royce Reginald Overlock	Mary Mildred (Pucek) Wonchoba	Freetown

Sept. 1	Merle John Edgar Stetson	Althea Lorraine Maker	Wellfleet
4	Louis Raymond Gracia	Mary Ann Neves	Dighton
11	John Fernandes	Jeanne Blanche Dupuis	Taunton
11	Edward Nunes	Adelaide Elizabeth Severino	Taunton
18	Tedfield Majcher	Laura Wood	Taunton
26	Craig J. Webber	Mary H. Turcott	Plymouth
27	Robert MacDonald Sellars	Phyllis Gertrude Gurney	Berkley
Nov. 6	Edward Henry Torres	Mary Elizabeth Victurine	Taunton
19	John Sheldon Haskins	Virginia Dean Anthony	Fall River
20	Edmond Charles Marrotte	Theresa Vivian Lefavre	Taunton
20	Walter Zrebiec	Helen Catherine Hadro	Taunton
Dec. 9	Franklin Bettencourt	Clara Berry	Berkley

DOG LICENSES ISSUED IN 1948**For 27 Spayed Females**

Joseph G. Allen	Allen T. McCabe
George Babbitt	Luella McCall
Grace Boyce	Roman Melesky
Ivah A. Brightman	Nels A. Nelson
Charles Brown	Calvin Overlock
George Butler	Rosa J. Partington
Jean Carroll	Stuart Paull
Arthur DeMille	Kenneth Poole
Annie Eaton	Albert H. Ratcliffe
James A. Garrity	Doris Raymond
Bertha L. Kelsey	Fred A. Reed
Werner Lorenz	Joseph Tavares
Bentley Mackintosh	Jennie Westgate
Josephine Makepeace	

For 168 Males

George Adams (2)	Ira S. Bumpus
Vernon D. Adams	Anthony Cambra
Manuel R. Amaral	Edwin Carpenter
Francis Andrews	Everlon Clark
Orton G. Andrews	Damon Clegg
William R. Anthony	Florence Comerford
Stanley Arnold	K. J. Compton, M. D. (2)
Blanche M. Ashley	Antone Costa
Charles Ashley	Esther Crow
Ida M. Ashley	Carlton B. Cummings (2)
Lewis W. Ashley	George F. Cummings
Herbert Aspinall (2)	Lewis Clyde Cummings
Russell Babbitt	Mary E. T. Cummings
Arthur Baldwin (2)	Alex F. Cybulski, Jr.
Manuel R. Barboza	Susie Davis
John W. Barrow	Leland Delano
Gil Bettencourt (2)	Arthur DeMille
Maryanna Bettencourt	Antone DeMoura (2)
Albert Bindon (2)	Harold Dimsey
Hervey Blanchette	Annie Eaton
Adelbert Briggs	Manuel Faria
Julia Brittain	Mary Faria
Charles Brown (2)	Joseph Fernandes

Herbert Flint
John B. Flint
Raymond Flint
Robert Flint
Gabriel Fontes
Lillie E. French
Dennis Frizado
John Frizado (2)
Frank Furtado
Sibyl C. Gardner
Henry Goff
John C. Goodwin
Edward Grace
Joseph Grace (2)
Louis R. Gracia
Gerald Guertin
Stanley F. Hadro
Marie Hakajarvi
L. Lewis Hall
Edward D. Hamilton
Donald Harrison
Allen A. Haskell
Frederick Haskins
John Haskins
Edward F. Hathaway
Marcus D. Houtzager
Robert Hunter
Ralph E. Hyde
Emma Jackson (4)
Edwin Jones, Jr.
George Jones
Joseph M. Kaye
Bertha L. Kelsey
Emil Kleiner
Paul LeCornec
Dorothy M. Lippold
Mary E. Longton
Werner Lorenz
Bentley Mackintosh
Clifford MacQueen
Edwin A. Makepeace
Joseph Marshall
John McCrohan

Samuel Milko (2)
William B. Mitchell
Alphonse Morel
John Moskal
Gladys Miller
Maurice Nadeau
Edward Nunes
Stuart Paull
Benoit Pelletier
Emilo Peloquin
Raymond Peloquin, Jr.
Elmer Perry
Charles Peterson
Clarence Pittsley
Nelson D. Pittsley
Wojciech Pysz (2)
Albert O. Ratcliffe
Allen Raymond
Raymond Reagan
Fred A. Reed
Mary E. Reed
Sadie Reed
Elmer J. Reiser
Louis P. Remy
John F. Ring
William Rogers
Barney Roman
Frank Rose
Manuel Rose
Richard M. Rose
Lendell Rudolph
William E. Rylands
Lester Sandlin
William R. Sechrist
Albert Senechal
Frank Silva (2)
Peter Slivinski
Mrs. Manuel Smith
Edward F. Stone
Thomas Sylvester
Warren Sylvester
Charles Sylvia
Allen M. Talbot

Felix Thornton
Alfred T. Townley
Gregg Travers
Cynthia Trites
Stanley Trond
Clara Victurine (2)
Joseph Viera (2)
Edgar Waterson

Wallace Westgate
Fred White
Arlene Whittaker (2)
George L. Wilson
Walter Wonchoba
Jeanne A. Wood
Frances Zrebiec (2)

For 30 Females

Herbert M. Ashley
Edward Brennan
Norman M. Colpitts
Frances Compton
George Crimlisk
George F. Cummings
Norman O. Dagenais
Melvin DeCosta
Harold Dimsey
Sibyl C. Gardner
Warren Holmes
Alfred Howland
Ida M. Howland
Florence M. Macomber
Joseph H. Marshall, Jr.

Manuel Martin, Jr.
John Moskal
Gladys Oakes
Raymond Peloquin, Jr.
Elmer Perry
Irene M. Peterson
Gladys Poole
Antone Rose
Joseph Rose
Lawrence Rose
William Shepard
Olive Templeton
Felix Thornton (2)
Harold Westgate

For 9 4-dog Kennels

William L. Adams
Cora N. Barton
Jacob O. Barton
Manuel Fernandes, Jr.
Beatrice Jack

Sybil Jones
Clinton E. Macomber
Cornelia Pierce
Anthony Sylvia

For 1 10-dog Kennel

Belle S. Doane

CLERK'S CASH TRANSACTIONS, 1948

1. Dog Licenses.

27 Spayed Females @ \$2.00	\$	54.00	
Less fees retained		5.40	
		<hr/>	\$ 48.60
168 Males @ \$2.00	\$	336.00	
Less fees retained		33.60	
		<hr/>	302.40
30 Females @ \$5.00	\$	150.00	
Less fees retained		6.00	
		<hr/>	144.00
9 4-dog Kennels @ \$10.00	\$	90.00	
Less fees retained		1.80	
		<hr/>	88.20
1 10-dog Kennel @ \$25.00	\$	25.00	
Less fee retained		.20	
		<hr/>	24.80
Total, Proceeds of Dog Licenses	\$		608.00
Paid to treasurer in 1948	\$		608.00

2. Sporting Licenses.

Series 1 Fishing	45 @ \$2.00	\$	90.00
Series 2 Hunting	126 @ \$2.00		252.00
Series 3 Sporting	74 @ \$3.25		240.50
Series 4 Fishing	20 @ \$1.25		25.00
Series 6 Trapping	10 @ \$5.25		52.50
Series 12 Duplicate	2 @ 50c		1.00
Series 15 Sporting	1		Free
Totals	278	\$	661.00

Payments to Division of Fisheries and Game (State)	\$	592.25	
Fees retained, 275 @ 25c		68.75	
		<hr/>	\$ 661.00

3. Miscellaneous.

Registrations of Gasoline, etc., licenses, 9 @ \$2.00	\$	18.00	
Olcomargarine, 1 @ 50c		.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 18.50
Paid to treasurer in 1948	\$		18.50

SUMMARY OF ESSENTIAL FEATURES OF STATE AUDIT REPORT

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Division of Accounts
State House, Boston 33

Henry F. Long, Commissioner
Francis X. Lang, Director of Accounts

December 7, 1948

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Albert Bindon, Chairman
Berkley, Massachusetts

Gentlemen :

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Berkley for the period from November 9, 1947 to October 23, 1948, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG

Director of Accounts

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir :

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Berkley for the period from November 9, 1947, the date of the previous examination, to October 23, 1948, the following report being submitted thereon :

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked with the books of the accounting officer and the treasurer.

The accounting officer's ledgers were analyzed. The appropriations and transfers were compared with the town clerk's record of financial votes passed in town meetings and with the finance committee's records of transfers from the reserve fund, and a balance sheet, showing the financial condition of the town on October 23, 1948, was prepared and is appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the treasurer were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the various sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the disbursements were compared with the accounting officer's books and with the treasury warrants approved by the board of selectmen.

The treasurer's cash balance on October 23, 1948 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements received from the banks in which town funds are deposited.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investment of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved and the transfers to the town were verified.

The tax titles and tax possessions held by the town were examined and listed. The amounts transferred from the tax levies to the tax title account were reconciled with the tax collector's accounts, the foreclosures were verified, and the redemptions of tax titles and sales of tax possessions were compared with the treasurer's receipts. The tax titles and tax possessions were further verified by checking with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of the collector of taxes were examined and checked. The tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, and assessment accounts outstanding according to the previous examination and all subsequent commitments were audited and compared with the warrants issued for their collection. The recorded collections were checked and compared with the payments to the treasurer, the abatements were checked with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved with the accounting officer's ledger.

Verification of the outstanding accounts was made by sending notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The records of charges for departmental accounts receivable were examined. The recorded collections were checked, the payments to the treasurer were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The financial records of the town clerk were examined and checked. The records of dog and sporting licenses were checked and the payments to the town treasurer and to the State were verified.

The surety bonds of the town officials required by law to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The financial records of the selectmen and the sealer of weights and measures, as well as of the police, school, and library departments, were checked in detail. The payments to the treasurer were verified and the cash on hand in the departments was proved by actual count.

In addition to the balance sheet referred to, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, assessment, tax title, tax possession, and departmental accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit, cooperation was received from all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE

Assistant Director of Accounts

Attest : Francis F. G. Andrews
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Town has been fortunate again this past year in the small amount of damage caused by fires, not only in regard to forest fires, but also in regard to buildings.

The Department has received in the past year approximately 30 calls, 5 of which were for buildings of low value, the remainder for grass and woods fire. The prompt action of the Department in answering calls resulted in the saving of valuable acres of woodland.

It is necessary gradually to build up our Department, and in the past year we have added a new pump on our tank truck which has increased its efficiency considerably, also 200 feet of hose. More hose is badly needed and other equipment which we intend to purchase this year. We recommend an appropriation of \$1,500.00 for the coming year.

I wish to express my appreciation for the co-operation of Mr. Burt, State Deputy Forest Warden, and our own Deputies and all others who have co-operated in carrying out the duties of this office.

ALBERT BINDON
Chief

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

Dec. 31, 1948

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Berkley,

Gentlemen :

As your Chief of Police I submit the following report
for the year of 1948.

Arrests for Crimes in Berkley

Crimes against Person

Assault & Battery	2
Threats & Intimidation	1

Crimes against Property

Breaking & entering & larceny	4
Larceny of automobile	1
Trespass	1
Selling leased property	1

Crimes against Public Order, etc.

Delinquent (Burglary)	2
Delinquent (Using Car W. O. Authority)	1
Delinquent (Malicious distruction of Prop.)	1
Operating without License	1
Non-support	2

Other Activities

Breaks reported and investigated	9
Auto Accidents (with injuries)	4
Auto Accidents (property damage)	13
Misc. Complaints received and investigated	55
Car transfers recorded	138
Summons served	9
Speeders summoned to court	3
Located missing Persons	3
Tickets given for defective lights	23
Value of stolen property recovered	\$1,006.00
Pistol permits issued	20

We have assisted Mr. Tinkham of the Registry on Periodic Inspection checkups. We patrolled the town on July 3rd and 4th, and Halloween. During Dog Racing period, Police Officers directed traffic at various intersections for a period of 100 days.

We are increasing our equipment year by year, so that we can give the Citizens of the Town, greater protection. This year, through the Berkley Police Association, we have obtained road flares, electric lanterns, and a first-aid Kit.

I have taken great pleasure in serving you as Chief of Police and I hope that I have been worthy of my appointment. I wish to thank you and the Police Officers for your excellent co-operation in carrying out the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. ASHLEY

Chief of Police

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

This is a list of the work that was done by me for the year of 1948 regarding the work as sealer.

- 16 Gasoline Pumps
- 3 Oil Measure Pumps
- 2 Kerosene Pumps
- 6 Spring Scales
- 1 Beam Scale
- 6 Pints and Quarts Liquid Measure

I find the sealer's equipment is in poor condition and would recommend the town appropriate sufficient funds to have them put into serviceable condition.

One 25 lb. weight missing.

WILLIAM MITCHELL

Sealer

LIBRARY BASEMENT REPORT, 1948

Balance January 1, 1949	\$	2.00	
Rent Received		79.00	
Paid Wendall Conant — Labor			\$ 4.00
Deposited with Town Treasurer			
July 26	\$	27.00	
Nov. 16		24.00	
Dec. 31		26.00	
			77.00
	\$	81.00	\$ 81.00

Submitted by

RUTH O. BABBITT

Treasurer

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

1. Charges to collector.

Balances outstanding, Jan. 1, 1948:

Poll Taxes 1947	\$ 270.00	
Personal Taxes 1946	562.06	
1947	1,103.74	
Real Estate Taxes 1946	3,109.36	
1947	10,284.13	
Moth Assessments 1946	2.00	
1947	17.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1946	2.00	
1947	258.45	
		\$15,608.74

Commitments from assessors in 1948:

Poll Taxes 1948	\$ 800.00	
Personal Taxes 1948	5,120.54	
Real Estate Taxes 1948	36,663.88	
Moth Assessments 1948	121.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1947	17.25	
1948	3,231.02	
		45,953.69

Collection in excess of commitment:

Personal Taxes 1947	6.60
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Abatements refunded:

Motor Vehicle Excise 1948	6.67
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Total, charges to collector	\$61,575.70
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2. Credits to collector, and balances.

Abatements by assessors in 1948:

Poll Taxes 1947	\$ 260.00	
Personal Taxes 1948	3.30	
Real Estate Taxes 1946	1.97	
1947	44.00	
1948	88.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1948	92.18	
		\$ 489.45

Added to tax titles in 1948:

Real Estate Taxes 1946	36.84
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Collections in 1948, paid treasurer:

Poll Taxes 1947	\$ 8.00
1948	630.00

Personal Taxes 1946	282.10	
1947	613.36	
1948	3,668.10	
Real Estate Taxes 1946	2,843.81	
1947	6,022.07	
1948	1,271.06	
Moth Assessments 1946	2.00	
1947	6.00	
1948	5.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1946	2.00	
1947	177.84	
1948	2,603.22	
		18,134.56
Uncollected balances, Dec. 31, 1948:		
Poll Taxes 1947	\$ 2.00	
1948	170.00	
Personal Taxes 1946	279.96	
1947	496.98	
1948	1,449.14	
Real Estate Taxes 1946	226.74	
1947	4,218.06	
1948	35,304.82	
Moth Assessments 1947	11.00	
1948	116.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1947	97.86	
1948	542.29	
		42,914.85
Total, Credits to collector and balances	\$61,575.70	

3. Interest collected and paid treasurer.

Poll Taxes 1947	\$.37
1948	1.64
Personal Taxes 1946	27.68
1947	19.72
Real Estate Taxes 1946	227.12
1947	171.30
Moth Assessments 1946	.15
1947	.24
Motor Vehicle Excise 1946	.15
1947	3.45
1948	6.43
Total, Interest	\$ 458.25

4. Charges and fees, collected and paid treasurer.

Demands:

Poll Taxes 1947	\$	1.40	
Real Estate Taxes 1946		10.15	
Moth Assessments 1946		.35	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1946		.35	
		<hr/>	\$ 12.25

Warrants for distraint or arrest:

Motor Vehicle Excise 1946		.50
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Costs of tax takings:

Real Estate Taxes 1946:

Preparing advertisements	\$.50	
Cost of advertisements		1.68	
Posting notices		.50	
		<hr/>	2.68

Total, Charges and fees	\$	15.43
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Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. G. ANDREWS

Collector of Taxes

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Date	Name of Fund	Principal	Balance Jan. 1, 1948	Interest Received	Expended for Care of Lots	Balance Dec. 31, 1948
1898	Philip C. Porter	\$100.00	\$100.15	\$2.01	\$2.00	\$100.16
1900	William Babbitt	100.00	101.27	2.03	2.00	101.30
1906	Calvin T. Crane	150.00	151.17	2.27	3.00	150.44
1906	Susan H. Allen	200.00	239.91	3.60	4.90	238.61
1908	Thomas Terry	100.00	100.82	1.17	1.95	100.04
1909	Samuel C. Norcutt	100.00	102.92	1.54	3.00	101.46
1910	W. Burt & A. Simms	100.00	104.43	1.57	3.00	103.00
1910	Rev. Thomas Andros	200.00	219.24	3.29	4.60	217.93
1914	Asa W. Reed	200.00	202.84	3.05	4.60	201.29
1915	James Maconber	100.00	102.50	1.54	2.20	101.84
1916	J. Haskins & E. Burt	100.00	190.63	2.87	2.35	191.15
1918	J. Hervey, E. Hervey, et al	200.00	204.05	3.07	4.60	202.52
1920	Abail B. Crane	210.00	210.99	3.17	4.00	210.16
1922	Witherell & Seekell	100.00	100.70	1.51	2.00	100.21
1922	Stephen Corey	100.00	100.75	1.51	2.00	100.26
1923	Cummings & Howard	100.00	100.71	1.51	2.20	100.02

1925	Ebenezer D. Briggs	150.00	156.17	2.35	3.60	154.92
1925	Capt. Tamerlane Burt	150.00	168.46	2.53	4.60	166.39
1926	Herbert A. Perry	150.00	156.58	2.35	3.60	155.33
1927	Edward L. Smith	100.00	155.62	2.33		157.95
1929	Horace N. Macomber	100.00	100.75	1.51	2.00	100.26
1931	Albert French	200.00	201.42	3.03	4.00	200.45
1932	Charles E. French	150.00	151.19	2.27	3.20	150.26
1933	Dean Westgate	200.00	201.55	3.03	4.58	200.00
1938	Capt. John Cummings	100.00	100.80	1.51	2.00	100.31
1939	Capt. Joseph Sanford	200.00	201.08	2.90	2.35	201.63
1940	B. & A. Williams	100.00	101.18	1.52	2.20	100.50
1941	Frances A. Phillips	100.00	111.16	1.66		112.82
1942	Charles Westgate	100.00	100.71	1.51	2.00	100.22
1943	Harry E. Howland	100.00	106.86	1.60		108.46
1945	William P. Wood	200.00	202.50	3.05	4.00	201.55
1945	Burt & French	200.00	202.50	3.05	4.60	200.95
1947	Barnard Norcutt	100.00	100.17	2.01	2.00	100.18
Private Cemeteries						
1916	Paull Bros.	200.00	300.93	4.52	4.50	300.95
1923	Andrew J. Webster	200.00	229.15	3.45	4.50	228.10
Totals		\$4,960.00	\$5,381.86	\$81.89	\$102.13*	\$5,361.62*

*Payment of bills for care of lots was not made until 1949.

ASSESSORS REPORT FOR 1948

Value of assessed personal estate	\$116,376.00
Buildings excluding land	576,155.00
Land excluding buildings	257,115.00
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	\$949,646.00
Number of cattle assessed other than cows	50
Number of cows assessed	244
Number of horses assessed	39
Number of swine assessed	26
Number of sheep assessed	26
Number of fowl assessed	11,025
Number of dwelling houses assessed	329
Number of acres of land assessed	9,969
Number of polls assessed	400
Rate per thousand	44.00
Taxes for State, County, City or Town	
Purposes, including Overlays,	
Personal Estate	\$ 5,120.54
Real Estate	36,663.88
Polls	800.00

MILTON BABBITT,
ANTHONY SYLVIA,
NORMAN E. WHITTAKER,
Assessors of Berkley

TAX LIST FOR 1948

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Adams, Vernon		\$ 13.20		\$ 13.20
Adams, William L.		83.60		83.60
Aguas, Maria and Jean and Antonia		145.20		145.20
Allan Donald and Wilma		22.00		22.00
Allen, James A. F. and Audrey		57.20		57.20
Allen, John M.		135.08		135.08
Alves, Manuel C. and Lena		57.20		57.20
Ames, Frank and Ruth		103.40		103.40
Ames, John H. and Elijah		88.00		88.00
Anderson, Carl R.		14.30		14.30
Anderson, Percy and Helen	68.42	163.90	5.00	237.32
Andrews, Agnes		72.20	4.00	72.20
Andrews, Francis and Julia		114.40		114.40
Anthony, Ralph and Myra		47.30		47.30
Anthony, Myra D.		39.60		39.60
Anthony, Myra D. and Others		37.60		37.60
Anthony, William and Edith	67.10	1,202.30		1,202.30
Arnold, Stanley and Evelyn		132.00		132.00
Ashley, Blanche M.		44.00		44.00
Ashley, Clinton N.		6.60		6.60
Ashley, Harold and Ruth		24.20		24.20
Ashley, Herbert M.	11.00	22.44		22.44
Ashley, Herbert M. and Clara		127.60		127.60
Ashley, LeRoy		1.32		1.32
Ashley, Lillian		119.90		119.90
Ashley, Verna R. and E. I. Whitman		37.40		37.40
Aspinall, Herbert	31.02	83.32		120.34
Ashley, Walter M.	2.20			2.20
Auruda, Henry and Agnes		10.12		10.12
Avery, Vincent	86.24			86.24
Babbitt, C. Dexter		7.26		7.26
Babbitt, Joseph H.	3.30	185.90		185.90
Babbitt, Marian L.		209.00		209.00
Babbitt, George R.	11.22	156.20		167.42
Babbitt, Ruth O.		101.20		101.20
Babbitt, J. P.		86.90		86.90
Babbitt, Lois W.		13.42		13.42
Babbitt, Louise		3.30		3.30
Babbitt, Milton A.	13.20	4.40		17.60
Babbitt, Russell	30.80	145.20		145.20
Babbitt, Rollin		238.26		238.26

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Babbitt, Rollin H.		7.26		7.26
Baldwin, Percy and Mabel		107.80		107.80
Barrow, Lawrence	4.40	89.10		93.50
Barrow, John W.	3.30	273.46		276.76
Barrow, Mary		35.20		35.20
Barrow, George C. and Jennie P.		13.20		13.20
Baldwin, Arthur and Loretta		206.58		206.58
Barboza, Manuel and Antoinette		111.76	4.00	115.76
Barboza, Manuel	55.00	35.20		90.20
Barker, Merle T.		167.20		167.20
Barton, Jacob and Cora	1.32	56.10		57.42
Barton, Jacob O.		4.40		4.40
Bassett, Albert		22.00		22.00
Bassett, Arthur		3.96		3.96
Bay State Beagle Club Inc.		169.84		169.84
Bettencourt, Gil and Clara	1.10	96.80		97.90
Bettencourt, Marian	3.30	66.88		70.18
Bindon, Albert and Sarah	2.20	38.94		41.14
Bindon, Albert and Sarah		110.44		110.44
Blanchette, Hervey and Lena	99.00	319.00		418.00
Bourke, Micheal		6.60		6.60
Borden, Howard C.		2.20		2.20
Boyce, Enoch		9.24		9.24
Boyce, Borden and Bertha M.		1.10		1.10
Boshco, Eleanor C.		224.40		224.40
Belcher, Martin and Grace E.		94.16		94.16
Braese, Thomas and Mary		116.60		116.60
Brailey, Ernest and Harriett		24.20		24.20
Brailey, Elsie		56.98		56.98
Brennan, Edward and Alice	3.30	219.12		222.42
Briggs, Adelbert A.		48.40		48.40
Brightman, Iva	3.30	18.70		22.00
Brightman, Iva		248.60		248.60
Brightman, John	132.00	1.54		133.54
Brown, Charles and Victoria	60.94	112.20		173.14
Brown, George S.		193.60		193.60
Brownes Air Craft Service	66.00			66.00
Brown, Marion and Lily Myboe		6.60		6.60
Burt, Alexander		4.40		4.40
Blonin, Leo W.		2.20		2.20
Bumpus, Ira S. and Doris A.	169.84	232.32		402.16
Briggs, Alvin E.		8.14		8.14

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Burpee, Ernest and Lillian M.		2.20		2.20
Cabral, Emanuel		47.08		47.08
Cady, Evelyn and Charles		85.80		85.80
Cambra, Anthony and Mary	11.44	180.84		192.28
Card, Edward and Inez		30.80		30.80
Card, George A.		2.20		2.20
Chace, Irvine and L. D. Hall		133.98	2.00	135.98
Chace, Irvine		.88		.88
Carpenter, Edwin N. and Florence M.		99.00		99.00
Chamberlain, Elmer B.		30.80		30.80
Church, M. E.		9.24		9.24
Churchill, L. P. and Co.		205.26		205.26
Churchill, Alice and Others		26.40		26.40
Chester, Roger E. and Carolyn B.		106.70		106.70
Chester, Fred E. and Edith T.		17.60		17.60
Clough, Harold A. and Florence C.		2.20		2.20
Clark, Harry C. and Alice C.		78.76		78.76
Clark, Pearl V.		42.90		42.90
Clark, Clarence H.		4.40		4.40
Clark, Elizabeth I.	9.24			9.24
Clark, Evelon	3.30			3.30
Clark, P. J.		4.40		4.40
Clegg, Damon	44.00	225.50		269.50
Colpitt, E. Roy		3.30		3.30
Colpitts, Norman M.		126.50		126.50
Costa, Francis, Jr.		3.96		3.96
Compton, Francis M.		108.90		108.90
Conant, Edward W.		171.60		171.60
Conant, Eva		4.40		4.40
Comerford, Florance A.	3.30	110.44		113.74
Conaty, Robert		18.70		18.70
Coombs, Frank E.		6.60		6.60
Corieo, John		2.86		2.86
Cooper, Joseph P.		324.50		324.50
Correia, Manuel		59.40		59.40
Costa, Antone and Nellie		53.90		53.90
Cochrane, Ralph and Laura		96.80		96.80
Costa, Frank G.		11.00		11.00
Cox, William		48.40		48.40
Craw, Willis		104.28		104.28
Crimlisk, Russell A.		14.30		14.30
Crosby, John and Cecily		21.12		21.12

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Crosby, Oliver	13.20			13.20
Crimlisk, George E.	5.50			5.50
Crowningshield, E. A.		5.28		5.28
Cuddon, Owen F.		8.80		8.80
Cummings, George S.		134.20	2.00	136.20
Cummings, L. Clyde		51.70	1.00	52.70
Cummings, Mary		20.02		20.02
Cushing, Mary		3.30		3.30
Cushman, Don A.		.44		.44
Cushman, Beulah		64.90		64.90
Cybuski, Alex F., Jr.		61.60		61.60
Davis, Susan		72.60		72.60
Dean, Edmund P.		180.40	5.00	185.40
Dary, Flora		2.64		2.64
Dean, Edmund P.		1.76		1.76
Dean, David B.		26.40		26.40
Dean, Lawrence		4.40		4.40
Dean, Theodore V.		4.40		4.40
DeCosta, Melvin and Betsy		88.00		88.00
Delano, Charles		2.20		2.20
Delano, Florence		61.60		61.60
DeMoranville, William		11.00		11.00
DeMoura, Antone and Margaret	6.60	99.00		105.60
Dillingham, James		312.18	15.00	327.18
Dillingham, John and Others		99.44		99.44
Dillingham, John	68.42			68.42
Denson, Ernest		4.40		4.40
Doel, William K		35.20		35.20
Doherty, William J. and Louise		8.80		8.80
Donelly, Edith M.		24.20		24.20
Dow, Estella D. and Arlon B.		61.60		61.60
DeMille, Arthur and Exilda	74.58	233.20		307.78
Drake, Carolyn		3.30		3.30
Dulak, Sophie		98.56	5.00	103.56
Dulak, Kazimier	8.80	17.60		26.40
Dumber, Helen		2.20		2.20
Dutra, Manuel and Alice		8.80		8.80
Dunn, Margaret		46.20		46.20
DeArruda, Manuel		2.20		2.20
DeArruda, Manuel F. and Willetta H.		4.80		4.80
Dillingham, John and Ella		52.80		52.80
Degenais, Norman O.	8.80			8.80

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Eaton, William		20.90		20.90
Edwards, Anna		88.00		88.00
Ellsworth, Charles and Ezelda	33.00	149.60		182.60
Falk, Walter A. and Elsie E.		103.40		103.40
Faria, Manuel and Virginia	6.60	100.10	4.00	110.70
Faria, Mary		126.06		126.06
Farmer, Walter W.		96.80		96.80
Federal Land Bank		237.60		237.60
Federal Farm Morg. Corp.		254.10		254.10
Fernandes, Joseph	9.02	6.60		16.50
Fernandes, Joseph and Mary		41.80		41.80
Fernandes, Manuel and Mary		55.00		55.00
Fernandes, Manuel and Dorothy		31.90		31.90
Fernandes, Virginia		140.80		140.80
Fernandes, Joseph and Virginia		15.62		15.62
Finglass, Mary		15.40		15.40
Flint, Fred E.		7.70		7.70
Flint, Herbert J.		2.20		2.20
Flint, Herbert J. and Mary S.		22.00		22.00
Flint, Mary C.		46.20		46.20
Flint, Ernest R.		6.60		6.60
Flint, Robert C.	6.60			6.60
Fournier, Francis E. and Marrietta	120.12	180.96		301.08
French, Isaac		66.00		66.00
Freeman, Joseph and Lillian	33.00	70.40		103.40
Frizzado, John and Olive	3.30	77.00	2.00	82.30
Frizzado, Virginia		133.10	5.00	138.10
Furtado, Frank and Madeline		53.24		53.24
Furtado, Joseph		92.40		92.40
Furtado, Joseph and Esther		81.40		81.40
Gaffney, Harry J.		143.22		143.22
Gaffney, Harry J. and Juliet E.		57.20		57.20
Gracia, Manuel		167.20		167.20
Gardner, Sibyl C.	26.18	456.28		482.46
Gregenhummer, William C.		17.60		17.60
Gilmore, Robert L. and Josephine		6.60	4.00	10.60
Goddu, Arthur and Josephine		4.40		4.40
Goddu, Albert and Olivia		132.00		132.00
Goodwin, Effie S.		129.80		129.80
Goodwin, John	4.40			4.40
Graves, Martin and Laura		211.20		211.20

	Personal	Real	Moth	Tax
Grace, Joseph and George Grimlish		90.20		90.20
Goff, Henry and Eugenie		105.60		105.60
Gracia, Anthony	2.20	118.80		121.00
Gouveia, Syril and Christina		82.50		82.50
Guertin, Gerald and Lylah		46.20		46.20
Hadro, John and Mary	3.30	61.50	2.00	66.80
Haines, Fannie		130.90		130.90
Hakajavia, Maria		186.12		186.12
Hall, Lydia D.		12.54		12.54
Hall, William F.		66.00		66.00
Hanson, Oscar		4.40		4.40
Harris, Frank and Winifred		6.60		6.60
Harriman, and William King		2.20		2.20
Hart, Enos and Fred Austin		19.80		19.80
Hart, Lenonore		3.30		3.30
Hart, John		69.08		69.08
Haskell, Allen A.		45.76		45.76
Haskins, Allen A.		85.80		85.80
Haskins, Henry H.		46.20		46.20
Haskins, James and Others		11.44		11.44
Haskins, Mary E.		80.30		80.30
Hatch, Allen		146.30		146.30
Hathaway, Harry C.		8.80		8.80
Hathaway, Harry C., Winifred E.		20.24		20.24
Hathaway, Levi		1.32		1.32
Hathaway, Wilfred		45.32		45.32
Hathaway, Edward and Madaline		180.62		180.62
Hathaway, Edward	5.94			5.94
Hathaway, Susan		57.20		57.20
Hathaway, John	17.60			17.60
Hemmingway, C. W.		4.40		4.40
Hewitt, George and Lillian E.		99.00		99.00
Hoard, Rhoda		27.06		27.06
Hoard, Rhoda		134.20		134.20
Holmes, Warren A.	14.52	90.20		104.72
Holmes, Nathan	13.20			13.20
Hampston, Charles and Ruth	55.00			55.00
Hobacy, Antone		3.30		3.30
Houtzager, Marcus and Olga	7.92	129.80		137.72
Hampston, Ruth		19.80		19.80
Howland, Jessie and Ruth		99.00		99.00

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Howland, Robert		193.60		193.60
Hoxie, David		78.54		78.54
Howard, Charles M.		25.30		25.30
Huntley, Roy M.		81.88		81.88
Huntley, Bertha		2.20		2.20
Hyde, Ralph and Ruth	151.80	294.80		446.60
Ide, Warren and Ruth	41.80	265.10		306.90
Ide, Warren M., Mary E.		136.40		136.40
Jackson, Emma		149.16	6.00	154.16
Jackson, Emma and Ruth Avery		107.14		107.14
Jack, William		88.00		88.00
Jack, Beatrice	6.60			6.60
Jenkins, Burton P.		2.64		2.64
Johnson, Agnes M.		4.40		4.40
Jones, Benjamin O.		154.00		154.00
Jones, Grace H.	8.80	30.80		39.60
Jones, Sybel	5.94	17.60		23.54
Kaye, Joseph and Mary		96.80		96.80
Kendzierski, Alexzander		22.00		22.00
Kady, Dorothy		75.68		75.68
Kelsey, Andrew H.		61.60		61.60
Kendzierski, Alexander		9.24		9.24
Kendzierski, Alexander		171.60		171.60
King, Clara		83.00		83.00
LaFrance, Hilda		83.60		83.60
Lawrence, Minnie		57.20		57.20
LeBlanc, Betty		2.20		2.20
Longton, Mary		45.32		45.32
Longton, Walter M.		6.60		6.60
Lorenz, Werner and Letha		66.00		66.00
Lefaiivre, Wilfred and Beatrice M.		92.40		92.40
LePage, Joseph C. T. and Maria J.		45.76		45.76
Lukes, Stephan		93.50		93.50
Ludoniz, Jule A. and Anela R.		30.36		30.36
Lynch, Katherine and Robert J.		30.58		30.58
Lane, Edward J. and Patricia J.		135.08		135.08
Mackintosh, Bentley and Florence		85.80		85.80
Macomber, Arthur L.		6.60		6.60
Macomber, Charles H.		44.00		44.00
Macomber, Charles H.		312.40	12.00	324.40
Macomber, Charles H.		151.80		151.80
Macomber, Charles H.		22.00		22.00
MacQueen, Glifford and Jennie		68.20		68.20

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Macomber, Clifford H.		8.80		8.80
Macomber, Clinton		8.80		8.80
Macomber, Clinton and Hazel		26.40		26.40
Makepeace, Josephine		145.20		145.20
Mann, Julia		81.40		81.40
Mann, Julia		22.22		22.22
McGregor, J. Marshall		106.70		106.70
Marquis, Floral R.		39.60		39.60
Marshall, Mary		53.90	3.00	56.90
Marshall, David	2.20			2.20
Marshall, Joseph H.	2.20			2.20
Marshall, Joseph	3.30			3.30
Martin, Anthony and Hazel		74.80		74.80
Martin, Manuel	3.30	140.80		144.10
Martin, William		147.18		147.18
Mawhinney, LeRoy E.		19.80		19.80
Mazzone, Amnegildo		2.64		2.64
Mazzone, Eugeneio		2.64		2.64
Mazzola, Amelia		127.60		127.60
Mazzola, Joseph	17.60			17.60
McCrary, Susie	3.30	108.90		112.20
McCrohn, John and Viola		39.60		39.60
McDonald, Norman and Flora		198.00		198.00
McEnaney, Philip and Margaret		125.40		125.40
McCabe, Allen and Emily		59.40		59.40
McCabe, Allen		48.40		48.40
McCall, Luella and Lewis Green		151.80		151.80
McCarthy, Callaghan		.88		.88
McCarthy, Marion		206.80		206.80
McKenna, Agnes L.		4.40		4.40
Melesky, Roman and Amelia	33.00	34.10		67.10
Mello, Martin and Mary		2.20		2.20
Mendes, Bernard		30.80		30.80
Milko, Samuel	5.06	127.60		132.66
Moore, Clara E.		70.40		70.40
Monterio, Louis and Vineto		44.00		44.00
Moral, Alphonse and Rita		57.20		57.20
Moranville, Harold and Lila		25.30		25.30
Moskal, John and Agnes	102.08	83.60	5.00	190.68
Mullins, Arthur and Martine		8.80		8.80
Murphy, George B.		30.80		30.80
Murphy, J. and Others		8.80		8.80

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Murphy, Conelieus		147.40		147.40
Myricks Community Club		6.60		6.60
Montuap Elec. Co.	1,834.80			1,834.80
N.Y.N.H. and Hartford R. R. Co.		114.40		114.40
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co.		37.40		37.40
Nadeau, Maurice P. and Dorothy		140.80		140.80
Neason, James		22.00		22.00
Nelson, Arthur and Jennie		101.20		101.20
Nunes, Edward and Mary		74.80		74.80
Nietech, Lothar	22.00			22.00
Obrien, Fenella		1.76		1.76
Olson, Eric G.		176.00		176.00
Oaks, Norman and Gladys		90.86		90.86
Overlock, Jessie		28.60		28.60
Paige, Jessie M.		70.40		70.40
Paull, Frederick M.		166.98		166.98
Parrott, Robert and Sarah		4.40		4.40
Paull, Mary		10.56		10.56
Paull, Stewart	3.30	85.80		89.10
Peirce, Arthur	13.86	42.90		56.76
Peirce, Hattie		96.80		96.80
Pelletier, Benoit	79.20	246.40		325.60
Peloquin, Raymond E.		50.60		50.60
Parker, Charlotte B.		19.80		19.80
Perry, Elmer and Helen		35.20		35.20
Perry, Francis R.		311.08		311.08
Perry, Richard	60.50			60.50
Perry, Huntley and Mabel		196.68		196.68
Perry, Arnold B. and Esther H.		39.60		39.60
Perry, Jessie and Rose		4.40		4.40
Peters, John C.		19.80		19.80
Peterson, Irene M. C.		188.76		188.76
Phillips, Edmund O.		5.50		5.50
Phillips, George A.		3.30		3.30
Pierce, Ethan		2.86		2.86
Pierce, Ethan A.		8.80		8.80
Pierce, Phobe		4.40		4.40
Pierce, Phobe		235.40		235.40
Pierce, William C.		31.90		31.90
Pierce, William C.		17.60		17.60
Pierce, William C.		4.18		4.18
Pierce, Charles		29.04		29.04

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Pilling, John and Sarah		110.00		110.00
Pilling, Richard and Dorothy M.		99.00		99.00
Pittsley, Lydia L.		41.80		41.80
Poole, Elmer and Clara		127.60		127.60
Poole, Stanley		118.80		118.80
Potter, Charles		152.00		152.00
Preston, Wallace		61.38		61.38
Proffitt, Florence B.		17.60		17.60
Pysz, Wojeich and Sophie	17.60	125.40		143.00
Philbrook, Wayne M., Flora R.		149.60		149.60
Prairie, Mary L.		2.20		2.20
Ratcliff, Albert and William		66.00		66.00
Raymond, Emma		70.40		70.40
Regan, Albert		50.60		50.60
Reed, Frederick and Helen		67.10		67.10
Reed, William V.		75.90		75.90
Reiser, Elmer and Dorothy A.		202.40		202.40
Remy, Louis P.		50.60		50.60
Reynold, Wallace L.		13.64		13.64
Reynold, Wallace L.		33.00		33.00
Reynolds, Wallace L.		74.80		74.80
Rezendes, Joaquin		7.04		7.04
Rezendes, Joaquin		1.76		1.76
Rines, George and Gladys		92.40		92.40
Rines, George	1.32			1.32
Robbins, Arthur E.		63.58		63.58
Radueques, Maria		90.20		90.20
Roberston, C. Stewart and Elizabeth		1.10		1.10
Rogers, David		12.54		12.54
Rogers, William	1.76	13.20		14.96
Rogers, Harold H.		28.60		28.60
Roman, Barney	88.00	308.00	15.00	411.00
Roper, Manuel		26.62		26.62
Rose, Clara		146.08		146.08
Rose, Benjamin and Harold		37.40		37.40
Rose, Frank	34.10	99.00		133.10
Rose, Mary		2.20		2.20
Rose, Antone and Angelina		5.94		5.94
Rose, Emanuel	3.30	17.60		20.90
Rose, Zona P.		62.70		62.70
Rose, Mary		28.82		28.82
Rose, Manuel G.		37.40		37.40

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Rose, Alfred R. Mabel P.		2.20		2.20
Rose, Richard and Amelia		65.56		65.56
Rose, Joseph D.	2.20		5.00	7.20
Rose, Antone	7.70			7.70
Rylands, William and Dorothy		89.10		89.10
Sanborn, Watson		4.40		4.40
Sandlin, Lester and Isabelle	3.30	68.20	1.00	71.50
Seeley, George		1.32		1.32
Sellers, Annie		177.76		177.76
Sellers, Freeman	12.10	4.40		16.50
Senechal, Julia		66.00		66.00
Seward, Leland and Annie		40.70		40.70
Slivinski, Peter	3.30	102.30		105.60
Shepard, William R.		114.40		114.40
Shaw, Charles and Bertha	22.00	163.90		185.90
Sherman, Hannah		123.20		123.20
Shippie, Martin and John Johnston		19.80		19.80
Short, Ira		3.30		3.30
Sherman, Blanche	1.98			1.98
Silva, Frank and Mary		69.30		69.30
Silvan, Eino and Margaret		104.50		104.50
Shell Oil Co.	444.22			444.22
Silva, Julia		40.70		40.70
Silva, Mrs. Manuel		8.80		8.80
Silva, Manuel and Mary		66.00		66.00
Smith, Arthur		48.40		48.40
Smith, Mary		22.22		22.22
Smith, Blanche		37.40		37.40
Smith, Manuel and Mary		24.20		24.20
Smith, Manuel and Jennie M.		24.20		24.20
Smallwood, Albert E. and Carrie		6.60		6.60
Society of the Con. Church		49.50		49.50
Soper, George O.		4.40		4.40
Souza, Maria C.		63.80		63.08
Sande, Lars A. and Viola E.		6.60		6.60
Souza, Emilinda and Arnold Silvan		58.96		58.96
Souza, Marion		2.20		2.20
Sowerby, Roy A.		28.60		28.60
Stanley, Jennie and Nettie Quick		11.00		11.00
Staples, Calvin P.	11.00	15.40		26.40
Stetson, George W.		110.00		110.00
Staples, Fannie		155.20		155.20

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Staples, Percival		.44		.44
Staples, Sumner		45.10		45.10
Stiles and Hart Brick Co.		167.20		167.20
Storey, Annie		154.00		154.00
Swift, Laura H.		187.88	2.00	189.88
Swift, Lawrence	3.30	.66		3.96
Sykes, Mary		2.20		2.20
Sylvester, Thomas and Helen	8.80	114.40		123.20
Sylvester, Jocoppina F.		26.40		26.40
Sylvia, Anthony	2.20	101.20		103.40
Sylvia, Irene	1.10			1.10
Sylvia, Charles A. and Elvira	3.20	226.60		229.80
Sullivan, Austin		8.80		8.80
Swartz, Beatrice W.				
Sylvester, Maynard		13.20		13.20
Taylor, Susie E.		36.08		36.08
Talbot, Allen		63.80		63.80
Tavares, Antonia C.		17.60		17.60
Tavares, Joseph C.	17.60	175.34		192.94
Taunton Gas Co.	44.00			44.00
Templeton, Garland	7.04	15.62		22.66
Templeton, Garland		30.80		30.80
Templeton, Garland		15.40		15.40
Templeton, Garland		39.60		39.60
Tew, Frank		.88		.88
Tirrell, Annie S. D.		2.20		2.20
Tolly, E. and L. Thompkins		24.20		24.20
Trenouth, Frances		134.20	2.00	136.20
Trenouth, Clarence and Frances		6.60		6.60
Trefy, George and Ruth		11.00		11.00
Triguario, Francisco		5.94		5.94
Trizcinski, Joseph J., Jr.		145.86		145.86
Turcott, George H.		90.20		90.20
Trefethen, James B. and others		74.80		74.80
Tripp, Frederick and Edna		2.20		2.20
Trond, Charles		16.50		16.50
Trond, Stanley and Doris	5.50	96.80		102.30
Trond, Stanley and Doris		125.40		125.40
Travers, George J. and others		88.00		88.00
Townley, Alfred, Jr.	114.62			114.62
Thornton, Felix	6.60			6.60
Vera, Joseph		44.00		44.00

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Victurine, Joseph	84.92	94.60		179.52
Victurine, Joseph and Clara		52.80		52.80
Victurine, Joseph and Clara		17.60		17.60
Vickery, Alice W.		33.00		33.00
Waite, Arnold L., Nellie E.		13.20		13.20
Walker, Alton P.		2.20		2.20
Waterson, Edgar W.		86.90		86.90
Walker, Gertrude M.		2.20		2.20
Washburn, Vivion E.		73.70		73.70
Washburn, Forest	20.24			20.24
Westgate, Daniel L.		34.32		34.32
Westgate, Daniel W. and Zelma		66.00		66.00
Westgate, Harold and Merle B.		66.88		66.88
White, Caleb		4.40		4.40
White, Carrie, L. B.		96.80		96.80
White, Joseph		98.34		98.34
White, Raymond A.		132.00		132.00
White, Stewart and Carrie	25.30	100.10		100.10
Whittaker, Edward E.		.88		
Whittaker, Linneus C.		119.02		119.02
Whittaker, Lucy M.		61.60		61.60
Whittaker, Norman E.		93.72		93.72
Williams, Frederick J. and others		5.50		5.50
Williams, Florence N.		38.50		38.50
Williams, Hattie P.		14.52		14.52
Williams, Mary A.		46.20	4.00	50.20
Wilson, George L.		48.40		48.40
Winchoba, Mary and Frank		95.70	3.00	98.70
Winchoba, Walter	28.60	106.48		135.08
Winslow, Lena B.		208.56		208.56
Wood Bertha		72.60		72.60
Wood, Jeannie		204.60		204.60
Zribiec, Martin and Francis	3.30	85.80	3.00	92.10

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Adams, Carlton R.	2.00	Barboza, Manuel	2.00
Adams, George E., Jr.	2.00	Barton, Isaac	2.00
Adams, George E. 3rd	2.00	Barton, Jacob O.	2.00
Adams, Vernon D.	2.00	Bassett, Arthur	2.00
Adams, William L.	2.00	Belcher, Martin	2.00
Allen, James	2.00	Bettencourt, Gil	2.00
Allen, John	2.00	Bettencourt, Arthur	2.00
Allen, Joseph G.	2.00	Bindon, Albert	2.00
Alonso, Manuel G.	2.00	Bindon, Albert W. J.	2.00
Ames, Elijah	2.00	Bindon, William	2.00
Ames, Frank E.	2.00	Blanchette, Hervey	2.00
Ames, John H.	2.00	Boyce, Enoch	2.00
Amaral, Manuel R.	2.00	Boyce, Roger	2.00
Anderson, Percy	2.00	Braese, George H., Jr.	2.00
Andrews, Francis F. G.	2.00	Braese, Thomas	2.00
Andrews, Orton G.	2.00	Eraley, James A.	2.00
Andrews, R. Donald	2.00	Brailey, Ernest	2.00
Anthony, Joseph C.	2.00	Braizer, Elmer E.	2.00
Anthony, Ralph	2.00	Briggs, Adelbert A.	2.00
Anthony, William R.	2.00	Briggs, Merton	2.00
Arnold, Stanley R.	2.00	Briggs, Alvin	2.00
Ashley, Charles E.	2.00	Brightman, John	2.00
Ashley, Clinton N.	2.00	Brown, Charles A.	2.00
Ashley, Harold G.	2.00	Brennan, Edward C.	2.00
Ashley, Herbert M.	2.00	Bronco, Manuel M.	2.00
Ashley, Lewis W.	2.00	Burke, Michael	2.00
Ashley, Leroy G.	2.00	Burgett, William	2.00
Ashley, Walter C.	2.00	Bumpus, Ira S.	2.00
Ashley, Walter M.	2.00	Burt, William A.	2.00
Aspinall, Herbert	2.00	Butler, George	2.00
Avery, Vincent W.	2.00	Cady, Charles A.	2.00
Babbitt, George R.	2.00	Carroll, Frank W.	2.00
Babbitt, Joseph H.	2.00	Cambra, Anthony	2.00
Babbitt, Lawrence A.	2.00	Cambra, Anthony, Jr.	2.00
Babbitt, Milton A.	2.00	Carpenter, Edwin	2.00
Babbitt, Richard W.	2.00	Carpenter, Edwin Jr.	2.00
Babbitt, Russell J.	2.00	Chace, Ervine A.	2.00
Baldwin, Percy L.	2.00	Chester, Roger	2.00
Baldwin, Arthur	2.00	Clarke, Everlon	2.00
Barrow, John	2.00	Clark, Edward	2.00
Barrow, Lawrence	2.00	Clegg, Arthur L.	2.00

Clegg, Damon E.	2.00	Fernandes, Joseph	2.00
Cochrane, Ralph	2.00	Fernandes, Joseph, Jr.	2.00
Colpitts, Norman M.	2.00	Fernandes, Manuel P.	2.00
Colpitt, E. Roy	2.00	Fernandes, Manuel, Jr.	2.00
Combs, Russell E.	2.00	Fernandes, Antonio	2.00
Combs, Kenneth	2.00	Fernandes, John	2.00
Conant, Edward	2.00	Flint, Robert C.	2.00
Conant, Roger	2.00	Flint, Ernest R.	2.00
Conant, Wendell	2.00	Flint, Frederick	2.00
Cooper, Joseph	2.00	Flint, Herbert J.	2.00
Costa, Antone N.	2.00	Flint, John B.	2.00
Cox, William	2.00	Fournier, Francis E.	2.00
Costa, Manuel D.	2.00	Freeman, Joseph O.	2.00
Crane, Walter S.	2.00	Freeman, Clarence	2.00
Craw, Willis G.	2.00	Frizzardo, John	2.00
Crimlisk, George	2.00	Furtado, Frank	2.00
Crimlisk, Russell A.	2.00	Furtado, Gilbert	2.00
Cummings, Carlton B.	2.00	Furtado, Joseph, Jr.	2.00
Cummings, L. Clyde	2.00	Gaffney, Harry J.	2.00
Cummings, George F.	2.00	Garrity, James	2.00
Cummings, Leroy L.	2.00	Goodwin, John C.	2.00
Clement, Robert	2.00	Goff, Henry K.	2.00
Dagenais, Norman O.	2.00	Gouveia, Cyril	2.00
Dean, Edmund P.	2.00	Gracia, Anthony S.	2.00
DeCosta, Melvin	2.00	Gracia, Louis R.	2.00
DeMoura, Antone F.	2.00	Grace, Joseph H.	2.00
DeMoura, Alfred	2.00	Grace, Edward E.	2.00
Dillingham, John Q.	2.00	Green, Ernest	2.00
Dillingham, John Q., Jr.	2.00	Guertin, Gerald E.	2.00
Dillingham, Arthur	2.00	Gutholm, Carl H.	2.00
Dimsey, Frederick E.	2.00	Gutholm, George G.	2.00
Dimsey, Harold	2.00	Gabriel, Manuel, Jr.	2.00
DeMille, Arthur	2.00	Graves, Martin	2.00
Dow, Arlon B.	2.00	Hadro, John	2.00
Dulak, Kazimiers	2.00	Hall, L. Lewis	2.00
Dulak, John J.	2.00	Hall, William F.	2.00
Ellsworth, Charles	2.00	Hambly, Raymond W.	2.00
Fair, William	2.00	Harrison, Charles	2.00
Falk, Walter A.	2.00	Harrison, Charles, Jr.	2.00
Faria, Joseph	2.00	Harrison, David	2.00
Faria, Manuel	2.00	Harrison, Wallace	2.00
Faria, Manuel, Jr.	2.00	Haskell, Allen H.	2.00
Farmer, Walton W.	2.00	Haskins, Frederick H.	2.00

Haskins, Henry	2.00	Longton, John A.	2.00
Haskins, John	2.00	Lukes, Stephan	2.00
Haskins, William F.	2.00	Lynch, Robert J.	2.60
Hatch, Allen L.	2.00	Lynch, Robert J., Jr.	2.00
Hathaway, Edward F.	2.00	LePage, Joseph C. T.	2.00
Hathaway, John M.	2.00	Macomber, Charles H.	2.00
Hazzard, Samuel F.	2.00	Macomber, Clinton E.	2.00
Hamilton, Edward	2.00	Macomber, Russell E.	2.00
Herbert, Robert	2.00	Mackintosh, Bentley	2.00
Hefferman, John T.	2.00	Mackintosh, Gilbert N.	2.00
Holmes, Clifton H.	2.00	McEnaney, Phillip A.	2.00
Holmes, Nathan W.	2.00	MacQueen, Clifford	2.00
Holmes, Warren A.	2.00	Makepeace, Edwin	2.00
Hewitt, George S.	2.00	Makepeace, Robert	2.00
Hewitt, Lloyed A.	2.00	Makepeace, Lester	2.00
Houtzager, Marcus D. C.	2.00	Marshall, Antone	2.00
Howard, Charles M.	2.00	Marshall, Frank	2.00
Howland, Alfred	2.00	Marshall, Joseph C.	2.00
Howland, Robert S.	2.00	Marshall, Joseph H.	2.00
Hoxie, Ralph F.	2.00	Marshall, David E.	2.00
Hunter, Robert H.	2.00	Marshall, Charles A.	2.00
Hyde, John P.	2.00	Marshall, Manuel	2.00
Hyde, Ralph E.	2.00	Martin, Anthony	2.00
Hampston, Charles L.	2.00	Martin, Alfred	2.00
Ide, Warren L.	2.00	Martin, Manuel F.	2.00
Ide, Warren M.	2.00	Martin, Manuel F., Jr.	2.00
Johnston, John W.	2.00	Martin, Joseph	2.00
Jones, Benjamin O.	2.00	Martin, William R.	2.00
Jones, Daniel B.	2.00	Mazzola, Joseph	2.00
Jones, Edwin D.	2.00	McCabe, Allen T.	2.00
Jones, Edwin D., Jr.	2.00	McCady, James H.	2.00
Kaye, Joseph	2.00	McCroham, John T.	2.00
King, Woodrow A.	2.00	McCroham, John T., Jr.	2.00
Kelsey, Andrew H.	2.00	McCroham, James	2.00
Kelsey, James	2.00	McCroham, James	2.00
Lawrence, George	2.00	McDonald, Norman	2.00
Lefavre, Wilfred J.	2.00	Melesky, Stephan	2.00
Lefavre, Wilfred J., Jr.	2.00	Melesky, William	2.00
LeCornic, Paull E.	2.00	Milko, Samuel	2.00
LeCornic, Walter R.	2.00	Mitchell, William B.	2.00
Lane, Eddy, Jr.	2.00	Morel, Alphonse	2.00
Lorenz, Werner R.	2.00	Moore, George W.	2.00
Longton, Walter M.	2.00	Moskol, John	2.00

Melesky, Roman	2.00	Pysz, Wóciech	2.00
Moskel, Paull	2.00	Ratcliff, Albert O.	2.00
Murphy, Cornelius	2.00	Ratcliff, Albert H.	2.00
Murphy, Patrick W.	2.00	Ratcliff, William G.	2.00
Murphy, Peter J.	2.00	Raymond, Ernest R.	2.00
Murphy, Michael	2.00	Reed, Frederick A.	2.00
Murphy, John C.	2.00	Reed, Frederick	2.00
Nadeau, Morris	2.00	Reed, William V., Jr.	2.00
Nelson, Nels	2.00	Reagan, Albert J.	2.00
Nunes, Edward	2.00	Reiser, Elmer J.	2.00
Nunes, Edward, Jr.	2.00	Remy, Louis P.	2.00
Nunes, Gilbert	2.00	Rines, George R.	2.00
Oakes, Norman L.	2.00	Ring, John	2.00
Olsson, Eric	2.00	Robbins, Arthur	2.00
Overlock, Calvin C.	2.00	Rogers, William	2.00
Overlock, Royce R.	2.00	Roman, Barney	2.00
Paige, Manuel	2.00	Roman, Edward E.	2.00
Paige, Eddie	2.00	Rose, Antone	2.00
Paull, Stewart N.	2.00	Rose, Benjamin F.	2.00
Paull, Willard E.	2.00	Rose, Frank	2.00
Peters, John	2.00	Rose, Harold E.	2.00
Pearson, John	2.00	Rose, Joseph D.	2.00
Peterson, Charles	2.00	Rose, Lawrence	2.00
Pierce, Arthur T.	2.00	Rose, Emanuel	2.00
Pierce, Bion L.	2.00	Rose, Richard M.	2.00
Pelletier, Benoit	2.00	Rylands, William E.	2.00
Perry, Arnold	2.00	Sandlin, Lester H.	2.00
Perry, H. Huntley	2.00	Sechrist, William R.	2.00
Perry, Elmer	2.00	Sellars, Freeman G.	2.00
Perry, Richard	2.00	Seward, Leland	2.00
Piechota, Antone J.	2.00	Shaw, Charles	2.00
Piechota, Mathew	2.00	Shepard, William R.	2.00
Pittsley, Clarence	2.00	Sherman, Alfred W.	2.00
Pittsley, Nelson	2.00	Shippie, Martin	2.00
Pilling, John P.	2.00	Silva, Frank A.	2.00
Pilling, Richard W.	2.00	Silvia, John P.	2.00
Peloquin, Raymond	2.00	Silvia, James	2.00
Plogger, William F.	2.00	Silvan, Arnold W.	2.00
Poole, Elmer V.	2.00	Silvan, Eino H.	2.00
Poole, Kenneth	2.00	Slivinski, Peter B.	2.00
Poole, Stanley	2.00	Slivinski, Joseph P.	2.00
Potter, Charles	2.00	Silvinski, Leon J.	2.00
Pritchard, Joseph H.	2.00	Slocum, Mathew	2.00

Smith, Manuel F., Jr.	2.00	Turcott, George H.	2.00
Smith, David	2.00	Trites, Robert	2.00
Smith, Hershah	2.00	Victurine, Frank	2.00
Stauch, Edward N.	2.00	Victurine, Joseph	2.00
Souza, Lional F.	2.00	Viera, Joseph	2.00
Souza, Manuel E.	2.00	Washburn, Forrest E.	2.00
Staples, Calvin P.	2.00	Wallace, Irvin	2.00
Stedman, George	2.00	Waterson, Edgar W.	2.00
Stetson, George	2.00	Waterson, Edgar W., Jr.	2.00
Stetson, Merle	2.00	Westgate, D. Wallace	2.00
Stone, Ernest E.	2.00	Westgate, Harold L.	2.00
Story, Albert T.	2.00	White, Chester	2.00
Story, Elliot J.	2.00	White, Caleb	2.00
Swift, Lawrence B.	2.00	White, Lawrence	2.00
Swift, Lawrence B., Jr.	2.00	White, Perley	2.00
Sylvester, Thomas	2.00	White, Stewart	2.00
Sylvester, Maynard	2.00	Whittaker, F. Elmer	2.00
Sylvester, Warren	2.00	Whittaker, Linneus C.	2.00
Sylvia, Anthony	2.00	Whittaker, Norman E.	2.00
Sylvia, Charles A.	2.00	Wilson, George L.	2.00
Taber, George E.	2.00	Wilson, Meredith C.	2.00
Talbot, Allen M.	2.00	Winchoba, Frank	2.00
Tavares, Joseph C.	2.00	Winchoba, Walter	2.00
Templeton, Garland	2.00	Winslow, Edward W.	2.00
Thornton, J. Felix	2.00	Young, Adelbert	2.00
Thompkins, Lloyd H.	2.00	Young, Hiram E.	2.00
Triguairo, Francisco	2.00	Young, Hiram E., Jr.	2.00
Turner, Henry B.	2.00	Zrebiec, Martin	2.00
Townley, Alfred T., Jr.	2.00	Zrebiec, Walter	2.00
Trenouth, Clarence C.	2.00	Zrebiec, Charles	2.00
Trond, Stanley	2.00		

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1948	\$ 27,478.40	
Cash received in 1948	103,567.15	
	<u> </u>	\$131,045.55
Cash paid out in 1948	\$110,649.92	
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1948	20,395.63	
	<u> </u>	\$131,045.55

Classification of 1948 Cash Receipts

1. Taxes.

Taxes 1948, from collector:

Property:

Personal	\$ 3,668.10	
Real Estate	1,271.08	
	<u> </u>	\$ 4,939.18
Poll		630.00

Taxes, previous years:

Property:

Personal	\$ 895.46	
Real Estate	8,865.88	
	<u> </u>	9,761.34
Poll		8.00

Tax Title Redemptions, Mann, 3	708.24
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Tax Title Sold, Hart, to F. L. Tripp et ux	45.46
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Tax Possessions Sold:

Williams, to E. L. Cronan	\$ 80.00	
Hall, to R. Meinhold et ux	100.00	
	<u> </u>	180.00

Taxes from State:

Corporation	\$ 3,072.95
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Income:

Rec'd only as		
“ “Income Tax”	\$2,639.70	
Part I, Ch. 70	1,690.00	
Ch. 71, Sec. 7A	6,990.00	
Proportion State Tax	549.72	
	<u> </u>	11,869.42
		14,942.37

Total, Taxes	\$ 31,214.59
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2. Licenses and Permits

Licenses from Selectmen:

Liquor:

15 1-day beer permits,		
Beagle Club	\$ 30.00	
1 pkg. store, 1949, Barboza	200.00	
1 all alcoholic common victualler,		
1948, Kendzierski	350.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 580.00
2 milk pasteurization, Townley,		
Victurine		20.00
1 slaughterhouse, Babbitt		1.00
9 Sunday licenses		9.00
1 Gasoline, etc., Rapoza		4.00
1 2nd class auto dealer, Nadeau		5.00
1 3d class auto dealer, Flint		5.00
From Chief of Police, 20 pistol permits		10.00
From Fire Chief:		
12 fuel oil permits		6.00
1 explosives, etc., Hathaway		1.00
From Town Celrk:		
1 oleomagarine, Blanchette		.50
9 gasoline license registrations		18.00
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Total, Licenses and Permits		\$695.50

3. Fines.

From First District Court	\$	112.80
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4. Grants and Gifts.

Grants from Federal Government:

Aid to Dependent Children:

Administration	\$	25.87
Aid		857.62

Old Age Assistance:

Administration		284.68
Aid		12,953.25

\$ 14,121.42

Grants from State:

Mass. School Fund, Part II	\$2,461.97
Vocational Education	1,498.29
High School Tuition	3,393.16
Union Supt. of Schools	393.99

Chapter 81 Highways	7,592.14	
Inspector of Animals	30.00	
Meals Tax	712.07	
Loss of Taxes	1.90	
		<u>16,083.52</u>
Grants from County:		
Dog Fund		446.62
Grants and gifts from greyhound associations:		
For Police Dept. Traffic Duty		500.00
		<u>500.00</u>
Total, Grants and Gifts	\$	31,151.56
5. Special Assessments.		
From Tax Collector, moth assessments	\$	13.00
6. Privileges.		
From Tax Collector, motor vehicles excises	\$	2,783.06
7. Departmental.		
General Government:		
From Selectmen, reimbursements for costs of advertising, hearings	\$	3.25
From Treasurer, reimbursements for costs of recording deeds		19.34
From Collector of Taxes:		
Demands for taxes		11.90
Warrant for arrest		.50
Costs of advertising, etc.		2.68
Use of phone, toll call, Town Hall		.15
From Town Clerk, sale of 8 voting lists		8.00
	<u>\$</u>	45.82
Protection of Persons and Property:		
From Sealer, fees for sealing	\$	1.60
From County, reimbursement for Dog Officer, board and killing dogs		56.00
From N.Y. N.H. & H. RR. Co., reimbursement for Fire Dept., cost of R. R. fire, 1947		36.00
From Insurance Co., reimbursement for Tree Dept., cost of removing tree		40.70
	<u></u>	134.30

Health and Sanitation:

Slaughtering fees, Babbitt	147.50
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Highways:

Chapter 90 maintenance:

State	\$1,999.96	
County	1,999.96	
From Insurance Co., reimbursement for cost of fence repairs	17.17	
		<u>4,017.09</u>

Charities:

Reimbursements for temporary aid:

Town of Norton	\$275.00	
City of Taunton	300.00	
		<u>\$ 575.00</u>

Reimbursements, aid to dependent children, State	963.53
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Reimbursements for old age assistance:

City of Fall River	\$ 107.41	
Town of Lakeville	138.63	
City of New Bedford	129.15	
Town of Raynham	65.52	
City of Taunton	207.65	
State	11,458.04	
		<u>12,106.40</u>

13,644.93

Schools:

Dental clinic	\$ 95.00	
Tuition and trans., state wards	115.52	
		<u>210.52</u>

Library:

Rent, Memorial Hall, basement	79.00
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Total, Departmental	<u>\$ 18,279.16</u>
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8. Interest

On deferred taxes, from Collector	\$ 447.83
On tax titles, from Treasurer	158.67
On moth assessments, from Collector	.39
On motor vehicle excises, from Collector	10.03

Total, Interest	<u>\$ 616.92</u>
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9. Municipal Indebtedness.

Anticipation revenue loan:	
The Machinists' National Bank	\$15,000.00

10. Agency.

Proceeds of dog licenses, from Town Clerk, for County	\$ 608.00
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11. Trust.

Tailings, checks of previous years	\$.98
Federal withholding taxes	2,447.15
Blue Cross deductions	46.25
County retirement deductions	209.84
Old Age Assistance recoveries	53.07
Amount received over principal, sale of tax title	4.54
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	\$ 2,761.83

12. Investment.

Giles Leach Fund, income from securities	\$ 45.00
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13. Refunds.

General Departments:	
Collector, petty cash returned	\$ 50.00
Temporary Aid, overpaid City of Taunton	33.50
Aid to Dependent Children, check not sent	67.52
Workmen's Compensation Insurance, return premiums	142.66
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Total, Refunds	\$321.73

Recapitulation of 1948 Cash Receipts.

1. Taxes	\$ 31,214.59
2. Licenses and Permits	659.50
3. Fines	112.80
4. Grants and Gifts	31,151.56
5. Special Assessments	13.00
6. Privileges	2,783.06
7. Departmental	18,279.16
8. Interest	616.92
9. Municipal Indebtedness	15,000.00
10. Agency	608.00

11. Trust	2,761.83
12. Investment	45.00
13. Refunds	321.73

Total, 1948 Cash Receipts \$103,567.15

CASH PAYMENTS, 1948
by appropriations and accounts.

1. General Government.

Moderator's Salary, Appropriation \$20.00

Norman McDonald	\$	20.00
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Selectmen's Salaries. Appropriation \$325.00

Harold G. Ashley	\$100.00
Albert Bindon, Chairman	125.00
John P. Pilling	100.00
	<hr/> \$ 325.00

Selectmen's Expense. Appropriation \$100.00

Bristol County Selectmen's Ass'n., dues	\$	6.00
Harold A. Goff, Register, recording	6.09	
Holmes Print Shop, letterheads	3.50	
Mass. Selectmen's Ass'n., dues	15.00	
William B. Mitchell, posting warrants	3.00	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co., typewriter repairs, adder paper	10.40	
Taunton Daily Gazette, adv. hearings	4.72	
Waldron Hardware Co., padlock	2.25	
Linneus C. Whitaker, posting warrants	15.00	
	<hr/> \$ 65.96	

State, audit 1947	\$	262.75
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Auditor's Salary. Appropriation \$55.00

Warren M. Ide	\$	55.00
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Auditor's Expense. Appropriation \$15.00

No payments.

Treasurer's Salary. Appropriation \$500.00

Francis F. G. Andrews	\$500.00
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Treasurer's Expense. Appropriation \$300.00

Francis F. G. Andrews, pd. for stamps	\$ 6.03
R. Donald Andrews, clerical services	72.75

Cecelia Costa, clerical services	27.75	
Director of Accounts, certifying note	2.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms, supplies	16.29	
Machinists' National Bank, checks	43.59	
Mass. Collectors & Treasurers		
Assn., dues	1.00	
Postmaster, Taunton, Mass., stamps	69.12	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co.,		
rubber stamp	1.60	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc., bond	32.50	
Insurance on scales	16.67	
Waldron Hardware Co., padlocks	.81	
		\$ 290.11

Tax Title Expense. Appropriation \$300.00

bal. from 1947 \$13.35; total \$313.35		
Francis F. G. Andrews, registering		
mail	\$.84	
Harold A. Goff, Register, recording	20.99	
Warren L. Ide, notarizing	.75	
Taunton Daily Gazette, advt. sale	3.68	
Frederick L. Tripp, surveying,		
searching, etc	269.00	
		\$ 295.26

Tax Possession Expense. Appro. \$50.00

Frederick L. Tripp, surveying tax		
possessions		\$50.00

Collector's Salary. Appro. \$500.00

Francis F. G. Andrews	\$500.00
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Collector's Expense. Appropriation and transfer \$325.00

Barre Gazette, tax bills	\$31.55
Cecelia Costa, clerical services	19.88
Harold A. Goff, Register, recording	11.12
Hobb & Warren, Inc., books, forms	12.14
Warren L. Ide, notarizing	2.75
Mass. Collectors & Treasurers	
Ass'n., dues	1.00
Postmaster, Taunton, Mass., stamps,	
envelopes	81.71
Frederic B. Smith Co., forms	1.16

Sullivan's Office Supply Co., rubber stamps	3.70	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc., bond insurance	31.25	
Taunton Daily Gazette, tax advt. sale	19.95	
Frederick L. Tripp, description searches	48.00	
		\$ 313.71
Collector's Petty Cash, for change	\$	50.00
Assessors' Salaries. Appro. \$1,100.00		
Anthony Sylvia	\$300.00	
Norman E. Whittaker, Chairman	500.00	
		\$ 800.00
Assessors' Expense. Appro. \$140.00		
Ass'n. of Mass. Assessors, dues	\$ 6.00	
Beatrice G. Buckley, making transfer cards	6.58	
Davol Printing House, Cards, forms	2.75	
Drummond Printing Co., cards	4.00	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., books	20.19	
Holmes Print Shop, forms	7.00	
Minnetta M. Miller, making transfer cards	7.66	
Postmaster, Taunton Mass.	5.00	
Anthony Sylvia, mileage and expenses	63.25	
		\$ 139.93
Assessors' Special Equipment. Bal. \$10.19		
No payments.		
Town Counsel. Appropriation \$100.00		
Gordon M. Owen, fees for services	\$	55.00
Town Clerk's Salary. Appropriation \$150.00		
Francis F. G. Andrews	\$	150.00
Town Clerk's Fees. Appropriation \$75.00		
Francis F. G. Andrews, fees: oaths of Office, and recording births, marriages, deaths	\$	75.00
Town Clerk's Expense. Appropriation \$50.00		
Mass. Town Clerk's Ass'n., dues and book	\$	4.00

Postmaster, Taunton, Mass.	.50	
Sullivan's Office Supply Co.	18.97	
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc., bond	5.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 28.47

Elections and Registrations. Appropriation \$275.00

Election officers:		
Susan A. Atterbury	\$28.13	
Harold G. Ashley	3.75	
Ruth Avery	3.75	
E. Roy Colpitt	28.13	
David W. Harrison	7.88	
Josephine E. Makepeace	24.38	
Marion I. Needham	28.13	
Blanche Smith	11.25	
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	8.25	
Anthony Sylvia	16.50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 160.15

Services for Registrars of Voters:

Percy L. Baldwin	\$1.00
Charles A. Brown	1.50
Ernest A. Greene	1.50
Charles A. Sylvia	1.50
	<u> </u>
	\$5.50

Hobbs & Warren, Inc., seals, notices	8.60	
Holmes Print Shop, ballots, voting lists	61.00	
Marcheterre Press, forms	2.60	
R. Dexter Tolman, counting board	11.14	
	<u> </u>	\$ 248.99

Town Hall Expense. Appropriation and transfer \$230.00.

Alvin E. Briggs, 2 cords wood	\$ 32.00
John Frizado, sawing wood	6.00
Edwin D. Jones, mowing common	20.00
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	7.11
Randall Dean & Co., Inc., insurance	68.24
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	13.56
Waldron Hardware Co., light bulbs	.81
Lucy F. White, janitor	75.00

Town Hall Repairs. Balance, \$108.42

No payments.

2. Protection of Persons and Property.

Police Department. Appropriation \$400.00

Salaries and wages:

Harold G. Ashley, Chief	\$131.43
Joseph L. Anthony	12.00
William A. Cox	20.25
Charles E. Harrison	12.75
William B. Mitchell	47.25
Eino H. Silvan	58.88
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	37.50
Anthony Sylvia	.75
Allen M. Talbot	3.00
Linneus C. Whitaker	3.75
Hiram E. Young	49.50
	—————\$ 377.06

V. H. Blackington & Co., badges	4.77
Taunton Police Dept., 3 lockups	1.50
	—————\$ 383.33

Police Department; traffic duty for dog tracks.

Grants and gifts, greyhound ass'ns., \$500.00

Salaries and wages:

Joseph L. Anthony	\$40.00
Harold G. Ashley	50.00
William A. Cox	55.00
Charles E. Harrison	40.00
William B. Mitchell	50.00
Eino H. Silvan	50.00
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	50.00
Allen M. Talbot	60.00
Hiram E. Young	55.00
	—————\$ 500.00

Fire Department. Appropriation \$1,2000.00

Salaries and wages:

Albert Bindon, Chief	\$31.46
Deputies:	
Albert W. J. Bindon	9.35
Willis G. Craw	12.75
Joseph O. Freeman	51.01
John M. Hathaway	12.75
Laurence B. Swift	80.34

Laborers; receiving over \$5.00
for the year:

Andrew R. Crane	6.00
William Crane	6.75
Frederick E. Dimsey	9.00
Harold M. Dimsey, Jr.	13.88
Clifton H. Holmes	15.75
Scott McCallum	6.75
Patrick H. Rose	5.63
Robert O. Rose	6.38
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	28.14
George E. Taber	6.00
Alfred T. Townley, 3rd	5.25

55 persons received less than

\$5.00 each for the year, 97.56

—————\$ 404.75

Auto hire:

Albert Bindon	\$19.00
Albert W. J. Bindon	3.50
William Crane	1.00
Willim G. Craw	7.00
Joseph O. Freeman	24.00
John M. Hathaway	4.00
Laurence B. Swift	2.00
Laurence B. Swift, Jr.	5.00

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New Equipment:

Joseph L. Anthony,	
siren	\$ 57.20
Charles H. Clougherty Co.,	
hose, adapter	39.55
Maxim Motor Co., port-	
Maxim Motor Co., port-	
able, pump	264.00
axe, adapter	12.95
Quaker Rubber Corp.,	
200 ft. hose	84.00

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Equipment maintenance and
repairs:

Automotive Distributors,	
kit	\$ 3.05

Babbitt & Simmons,	
pipe, valves, etc.	29.98
Barboza's Filling Station,	
gas	4.06
Berkley General Store,, gas	13.65
oil	1.69
anti-freeze	2.10
batt. chg. rentals	2.50
flush radiator, etc.	1.90
E. D. Brown, curtains,	
glass, etc.	8.00
Fred Flint, plank	2.35
Maxim Motor Co., parts,	
couplings	25.01
Overlocks Garage,	
storage, repairs	111.60
Pierce Hardware Co.,	
chains, bolts	13.69
Webster Bros., battery	23.50
Shaw's Filling Station,	
gas	2.43
oil	2.10
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Miscellaneous:

Holmes Print Stop, report forms	6.00
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	\$1,181.56

Sealer of Weights and Measures. Appropriation \$50.00

Salaries and wages:

William B. Mitchell	20.00
Wojciech Pysz	20.00
W. & L. E. Gurley, dies,	
seals, tags	8.13
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	\$ 48.13

Moth Department. Appropriation \$700.00.

Salaries and wages:

Alvin E. Briggs, Supt.	\$180.00
Russell E. Macomber	120.00
Antone Silvia, Jr.	138.00
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	\$ 438.00

Alvin E. Briggs, truck hire	200.00	
Alvin E. Briggs, trip to Carver, truck	10.00	
Joseph H. Babbitt, repair ladder	2.00	
Holmes Garage, battery charge	1.00	
Overlocks Garage, sprayer repairs	3.00	
Pierce Hardware Co., battery, rope, etc.	10.10	
Silva's Gas Station, 115 gals. gas	\$25.30	
1 case & 5 qts. oil	8.70	
5 gals. kerosene	.90	
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	34.90	
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		\$ 699.00

Tree Department. Appropriation and transfer \$431.00

Salaries and wages:

Linneus C. Whitaker, Warden	\$23.40	
Laborers receiving over \$5.00 for the year:		
Lewis W. Ashley	30.60	
Andrew R. Crane	19.80	
Herbert J. Flint	6.30	
Robert C. Flint	6.30	
Ernest A. Greene	33.30	
Stanley F. Hadro	16.20	
Ralph F. Hoxie	7.20	
Edward F. McCrohan	21.60	
John T. McCrohan, Jr.	17.10	
Martin D. Shippee	21.60	
Charles A. Sylvia	14.40	
Harold L. Westgate, Jr.	15.75	
14 persons each received less than \$5.00 for the year	43.50	
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		\$ 277.05

Truck hire at \$1. per hour:

George R. Babbitt	\$ 5.00	
John T. McCrohan	24.00	
Charles A. Sylvia	13.00	
Linneus C. Whitaker	22.00	
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		64.00

Outside services:

Brant Haworth, men, truck, tackle	\$39.60	
Hixon Tree Co., trim- ming, etc.	50.00	
	<u>89.60</u>	
		\$ 430.65

Dog Officer's Account. Appropriation \$115.00.

Anthony Sylvia:

Boarding and killing dogs	\$ 53.00	
Investigating complaints, time and mileage	26.00	
Collecting dog licenses,		
Collecting dog licenses, 72 at .50c	36.00	
	<u>115.00</u>	

3. Health and Sanitation.

County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment \$ 607.94

Board of Health Expense. Appropriation and transfers,
\$508.00.

Bristol Co. Tuberculosis Hos- pital, for Berkley patients	\$ 357.00	
Joseph O. Freeman, Animal Inspector	60.00	
Slaughtering Inspector	87.00	
Edward F. McCrohan, burying fowl	3.00	
	<u>507.00</u>	

Mosquito Control Appropriation \$25.00

State Reclamation Board assessment \$25.00

4. Highways.Chapter 81 Highway Maintenance. Appropriation and
transfer, \$12,600.00

Salaries and wages:

Linneus C. Whitaker,	
Highway Surveyor	\$214.20
Laborers:	
Lewis W. Ashley	1,159.50
John H. Ames	78.00
George R. Babbitt	19.88
Andrew R. Crane	502.65

Herbert J. Flint	21.60
Ernest A. Greene	795.75
Stanley F. Hadro	400.20
Edwin D. Jones	10.50
Edward F. McCrohan	786.60
John T. McCrohan, Jr.	156.60
Martin D. Shippee	103.95
Joseph Slivinski	45.60
D. Wallace Westgate	43.65
Harold L. Westgate, Jr.	111.15
	<u>\$4,449.83</u>

Equipment hire, drivers paid separately:

Trucks at \$1. per hour:	
Lewis W. Ashley	\$324.00
George R. Babbitt	99.50
John T. McCrohan	181.00
Linneus C. Whitaker	992.00
Tractor at \$1. per hour:	
Manuel R. Barboza	36.00
	<u>1,632.50</u>

Equipment hire, drivers included:

Herbert M. Ashley, bull-	
dozer,	\$ 88.00
McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.	
Grader, scraper	517.75
Power shovel	408.75
Bulldozer and	
transporting	362.75
Trucks	564.25
Thomas Bros., gas shovel	297.00
trucks	236.00
Clarence Vickery, truck	36.00
shovel	78.00
	<u>2,588.50</u>

Materials:

Berkley Gen. Store, oil, etc.	\$1.05
Andrew R. Crane, 10 cedar	
posts	5.00
Dean St. Builders Supply	
Co., cement	9.20
John Q. Dillingham, gravel,	
filling	124.70

Ernest A. Greene,	
18 cedar posts	9.00
Lydia D. Hall, gravel	4.50
Independent Coal Tar Co.,	
taric	1,332.67
Mack Construction Co.,	
sand patch	187.27
Manny's Hardware, paint,	
etc.	27.22
McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.,	
gravel, sand, cold patch	834.42
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	
culvert	87.02
Pierce Hardware Co., paint	10.40
Waldron Hardware Co.,	
cement	6.00
Sanders Lumber Co., nails,	
lumber	14.14
G. A. Winter Co., asphalt	1,275.00
	<u>3,927.59</u>
	<u>12,598.42</u>

Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance. Appropriation and transfer, \$3,000.00

Salaries and wages:

Lewis W. Ashley	\$ 47.25
Andrew R. Crane	46.35
Ernest A. Greene	42.75
Stanley F. Hadro	44.10
Edward F. McCrohan	39.15
John T. McCrohan, Jr.	16.20
Harold L. Westgate, Jr.	14.85
	<u>\$ 250.65</u>

Trucks at \$1. per hour, drivers paid separately:

Lewis W. Ashley	\$ 3.00
Linneus C. Whitaker	53.00
	<u>56.00</u>

Equipment hire, drivers included:

McCabe Sand & Gravel Co., grader	99.00
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Materials:

Independent Coal Tar Co.,	
taric	\$1,752.60
McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.,	
gravel	841.75 2,594.35
	<u>\$3,000.00</u>

Chapter 90 Construction, Padelford and Porter Streets.
Transfer from Excess and Deficiency, \$3,000.00.

No payments.

Land Damage Account, Padelford Street. Appropriation
\$400.00 Balance \$25.00; Total \$425.00.

No payments.

Road Machinery Account. Appropriation \$225.00.

Joseph H. Babbitt, repairing tools	\$ 11.90	
Barboza's Filling Station, gas, oil	6.05	
Berkley General Store, oil, etc.	2.11	
Domestic Fuel Co., gas	1.00	
Manny's Hardware Co., brush, stones	2.05	
Pierce Hardware Co., crankshaft, con.		
rod, rings, 12 snow shovels, 2		
hooks, saw, files, fence, 1 boy's		
axe	67.16	
Waldron Hardware Co., handles,		
spades rake, bush hooks, axe	15.58	
	—————	\$ 105.85

Berkley-Dighton Bridge Account. Appropriation \$375.00

Joseph H. Babbitt, tender	\$ 360.00
Town of Dighton, paid for lights	3.60
	\$ 363.60

Snow Removal and Sanding. Appropriation and trans-
fer, \$6,000.00

Salaries and wages:

Linneus C. Whitaker, Highway	
Surveyor	\$ 405.00

Laborers earning over \$5. for the year:

Elijah Ames	42.89
Lewis W. Ashley	8.10
George R. Babbitt	245.71
James Barrow	31.52
John W. Barrow	9.01
John W. Barrow, Jr.	34.14
Ernest H. Brailey	155.87
Alvin E. Briggs	9.00
Charles A. Brown	132.76
William Burgett	9.38
Andrew R. Crane	15.08
Walter S. Crane, 3rd	9.38

Anthony DeMoura, Jr.	10.50
Richard D. DeMoura	10.50
Ernest R. Flint	5.25
Francis E. Fournier	70.14
George R. Gagnon	13.13
James A. Garrity	16.88
James E. Garrity	9.00
Louis R. Gracia	9.01
Richard Gracia	41.27
Ernest A. Greene	196.23
Stanley F. Hadro	34.89
Nathan W. Holmes	112.75
Robert H. Hunter, Jr.	9.75
Stuart M. Hunter	9.75
Edwin D. Jones	67.51
Irving E. Jones	7.50
Joseph H. Marshall, Jr.	27.01
David A. Pierce	33.88
Arnold B. Perry	49.88
Elmer W. Perry	48.75
Lawrence R. Perry	14.40
Richard A. Perry	212.93
David A. Pilling	5.25
Ralph E. Sherman	44.93
George F. Silva	7.88
George G. Silva	7.88
Peter B. Slivinski	29.26
Fred Smith	22.14
Charles A. Sylvia	92.94
Walter Zrebiec	42.76
19 persons earned \$5. or less for the year	69.24
	<hr/> \$2,441.03

Equipment hire:

Trucks at \$1. per hr.:

Lewis W. Ashley	\$7.00
George R. Babbitt	56.00
Warren A. Holmes	5.50
Charles A. Sylvia	32.00
	<hr/> \$ 100.50

Trucks at \$2. per hour:

Damon Clegg	\$ 11.00
George Silva	21.00
	<hr/> 32.00

Plows at \$3.50 per hour:

Lewis W. Ashley	\$ 7.00
George R. Babbitt	777.00
Warren A. Holmes	782.25
Richard A. Perry	883.75
	———— 2,450.00

Plow at \$5. per hour:

Richard A. Perry	\$185.00
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Plow and driver at \$8. per hour.:

McCabe Sand & Gravel	112.00
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Bulldozer, 5 hrs.:

Herbert M. Ashley	40.00
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Sand Spreader:

McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.	49.46
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Truck Hire:

McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.	96.88
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Tractors, \$2. per hr.:

Sibyl Crane Gardner	14.00
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Edward Roman	6.00
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Tractor Shovel, 13½ hrs.:

John W. Barrow	67.50
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Autos at \$1. per hour:

James A. Garrity	6.00
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Ernest A. Greene	2.00
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Stanley F. Hadro	29.00
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Horse, at .40c per hr.:

Charles A. Sylvia	2.00
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———— 3,192.34

Materials:

McCabe Sand & Gravel Co.:

Screened sand	176.86
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Calcium Chloride	29.20
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———— 206.06

———— \$5,839.43

Street Lights. Appropriation \$100.00.

Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	\$ 99.84
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5. Charities and Veterans' Benefits.

Board of Public Welfare Salaries. Appropriation \$150.00.

Harold G. Ashley	\$ 50.00
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Albert Bindon	50.00
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John P. Pilling	50.00
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———— \$ 150.00

Temporary Aid, Administration. Appropriation \$200.00.

Salaries and wages:

Susan A. Atterbury	\$64.25	
Ruth Avery	24.25	
Albert Bindon	21.40	
	—————	\$ 109.90
Albert Bindon, mileage		1.59
Social Service Index		5.50
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., forms		.69
Holmes Print Shop		4.06
	—————	\$ 121.74

Temporary Aid, Aid. Appropriation, transfer and re-funds, \$3,533.50

Cash Grants \$ 450.88

Doctors and nurses:

Fred R. Blumenthal, M. D.	\$ 5.00	
John H. Doyle, M. D.	10.00	
Veronica Roberts	24.00	
	—————	39.00

Hospitals:

F. R. Contagious Hosp.	\$648.00	
Mass. Eye & Ear Infirmary	50.00	
	—————	698.00

Medicines:

Hanson & Co., Inc.	1.40	
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Groceries and Provisions:

George Chartier	\$ 45.00	
Sawyer's Market	597.50	
	—————	642.50

Other Cities and Towns:

Town of Dighton	\$ 60.00	
Town of Freetown	239.15	
City of Taunton	1,030.89	
	—————	1,330.04
	—————	\$3,161.82

Administration.

Aid to Dependent Children, Appropriation less transfer, \$25.00

Albert Bindon, salary supervisor \$ 2.00

Aid to Dependent Children, Administration. Federal Grant account. Federal Grants available, \$35.77.

Salaries and wages:

Susan Atterbury	\$ 8.38
Ruth Avery	3.63
Albert Bindon	14.80
	—————\$ 26.81

Albert Bindon, mileage 1.34

Holmes Print Shop, envelopes .94

—————\$ 29.09

Aid to Dependent Children, Aid. Appropriation and re-
fund, less transfer, \$1,067.52.

Cash grants \$ 909.31

Aid to Dependent Children, Aid; Federal Grant account.
Federal Grants available, \$1,021.99

Cash grants \$ 877.72

Old Age Assistance, Administration. Appropriation and
transfer, \$500.00

Salaries and wages:

Susan A. Atterbury	\$ 80.00
Ruth Avery	16.00
Albert Bindon	291.00
	—————\$ 387.00

Albert Bindon, mileage 37.26

Holmes Print Shop 4.50

Sullivan's Office Supply Co. 10.00

—————\$ 438.76

Old Age Assistance, Administration; Federal Grant ac-
count. Federal Grants available, \$307.22

Salaries and wages:

Susan A. Atterbury	\$ 59.87
Ruth Avery	43.62
Albert Bindon	147.00
	—————\$ 250.49

Albert Bindon, mileage 16.06

Hobbs & Warren, Inc. 1.57

Holmes Print Shop 22.30

—————\$ 290.42

Old Age Assistance, Aid. Appropriation and transfer,
\$17,500.00.

Cash grants \$15,819.43

Other Cities and Towns:

Town of E. Bridgewater	\$ 55.49
Town of Fairhaven	114.99
Town of Freetown	213.78
Town of Lakeville	157.60
Town of Raynham	112.33
Town of Swansea	65.50
City of Taunton	209.35
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	929.04

\$16,748.47

Old Age Assistance, Aid; Federal Grant account.

Federal Grants available \$13,307.35

Cash grants \$12,750.08

Department of Veterans' Services. Appropriation \$400.

Salaries and wages:

R. Donald Andrews	\$100.00
Cash grants	53.65
City of Taunton	109.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	6.73
Holmes Print Shop	4.55
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	\$ 273.93

School Committee Salaries. Appropriation \$160.00.

Ruth O. Babbitt	\$50.00
Gil A. Bettencourt	39.75
William A. Cox, Chairman	60.00
Bion L. Pierce	10.00
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	\$ 160.00

School Department. Appropriation \$34,212.70.

General Expense:

Salaries and Wages:

Gladys P. Babbitt	\$ 107.10
William A. Cox	25.00
Marjorie A. Oldmixon	225.02
John J. Rolfe	511.32
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	\$ 868.44

Ajax Business Equipment Co. 6.64

Amer. School Bd. Journal 6.75

Town of Dighton tel. exp. 52.44

Mass. Ass'n of School Comm.	5.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, forms	8.66
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	41.35
Postmasters, No. Dighton and Segregansett	12.61
John J. Rolfe, mileage	95.16
convention ex.	13.60
Smith Off. Equip. Co.	.48
Robert A. Wilcox Co., Inc.	8.15
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	\$ 250.84\$1,119.28

Teachers' Salaries:

Florence N. Brown	\$ 960.00
Blanche D. Campeau	65.00
Catherine M. Kula	2,386.67
Edna C. Lincoln	2,400.00
Marion E. Redford	2,400.00
Irene L. Richmond	16.00
Katherine L. Rogers	1,426.67
Lois J. Snow	446.00
A. Louise Unsworth	2,430.55
Mildred L. Walker	24.00
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	12,553.89

Textbooks and Classroom Supplies:

Allyn and Bacon	\$ 66.00
Ajax Business Equipment Co.	2.52
Boston University	21.25
Edward E. Babb & Co.	245.95
Ginn and Company	64.95
The Grolier Society	3.10
J. L. Hammett Co.	147.61
Holmes Print Shop	6.30
Houghton Mifflin Co.	29.07
Iroquois Publishing Co.	7.42
Laidlaw Bros.	20.50
The Macmillan Company	55.81
McGregor Magazine Agency	11.49
Rand McNally & Co.	68.90
A. B. Rider & Associates	15.85
The L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	37.50
Silver Burdett Co.	22.60
Thorp & Martin Co.	77.00

Robert A. Wilcox Co., Inc.	22.92	
World Book Co.	9.76	
	<u> </u>	\$ 936.85

Tuition:

Town of Dighton:		
High School	\$4,433.70	
Household Arts	347.46	
Vocational	1,161.45	
	<u> </u>	\$5,942.61
City of Taunton, Vocational	57.69	
	<u> </u>	6,000.30

Transportation:

Walter E. Hamilton, Sr.,		
sick children	\$ 13.86	
Clarence C. Trenouth	8,000.00	
	<u> </u>	8,013.86

Janitors' services:

Walter E. Hamilton, Jr.	\$ 6.00	
Walter E. Hamilton	1,819.92	
Allen Raymond	11.25	
	<u> </u>	1,837.17

Fuel and Light:

A. E. Briggs, wood	\$ 45.00	
Pratt Coal Co.	885.41	
Taunton Municipal Light-		
ing Plant	86.98	
	<u> </u>	1,017.39

Maintenance, Building and Grounds (includes janitor's supplies):

Lewis W. Ashley	\$ 15.20
Babbitt & Simmons	19.47
George R. Babbitt	4.00
Gil A. Bettencourt	.80
A. E. Briggs	4.00
The Cedar Chest	83.10
Francis E. Fournier	16.00
Walter E. Hamilton	.78
William M. Horner	7.25
Joseph Kaye	24.45
Manny's Hardware Co.	22.29
Nu-Brite Chemical Co.	10.00

Pierce Hardware Co.	324.55	
Prescott Lock Co.	3.60	
Earl W. Pring	37.21	
Sanders Lumber Co.	40.75	
Laurence B. Swift Jr.	5.00	
Albert Reagan	5.85	
Tranter & Staples	66.00	
Waldron Hardware Co.	41.21	
Robert A. Wilcox Co., Inc.	35.00	
		<u>766.51</u>

Furniture and Furnishings:

Milton A. Babbitt, curtain material	12.00	
J. L. Hammett Co. desks	276.00	
Phillips Music Center, piano repairs	5.00	
		<u>293.00</u>

School health:

Ella F. Dillingham, R. N., salary, nurse	\$ 408.00	
Charles M. Souza, M. D., salary, physician	150.00	
Weir Pharmacy Supplies	8.66	
		<u>566.66</u>

Other Expenses:

J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas	\$ 23.51	
Holmes Print Shop, tickets	2.25	
Pierce Hardware Co., balls, bats, etc.	30.75	
Allen M. Walker Co., insurance	273.04	
		<u>329.55</u>

33,434.46

School Dental Clinic. Appropriation \$500.00

H. F. LeRoy Latimer, D. D. S. \$ 354.00

Public Library. Appropriation and transfers, \$977.00.

Salaries and wages:

Lizzie J. Howland, Trustee \$20.00

Laura M. Swift, Librarian 240.00

Lucy F. White Asst. Lib.	11.50	
Janitor	191.50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 463.00
Books:		
Nathaniel Dame & Co.	\$ 100.00	
Jean Karr & Co.	44.68	
	<u> </u>	144.68
Fuel and Light:		
Macomber Bros., wood	\$ 5.00	
Staples Coal Co.	162.80	
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	10.18	
	<u> </u>	177.98
Building Expense, etc.		
The Cedar Chest, case, bin	\$ 38.50	
Wendell D. Conant	1.00	
Babbitt & Simmons	126.01	
Pierce Hardware Co.	6.15	
Laura M. Swift, salt	1.00	
	<u> </u>	172.66
Other expense:		
Gaylord Bros., cards, etc.	\$5.30	
Phillips Music Center, piano repairs	6.00	
Postmaster, Taunton, Mass.	.68	
	<u> </u>	11.98
	<u> </u>	\$ 970.30
Painting Library. Appropriation	\$328.00.	
Joseph Sylvia, per contract		\$ 328.00

7. Recreation and Unclassified.

State Parks and Reservations	\$ 77.15
Incidentals. Appropriation and transfer,	\$50.00.
Miscellaneous highway payments:	
Linneus C. Whitaker 8 hrs.	\$ 7.20
Lewis W. Ashley, 6 hrs.	4.50
George R. Babbitt, 6-2/3 hrs.	5.00
Francis E. Fournier, 4 2/3 hrs.	3.50
Frank Furtado, 4 hrs.	3.00
Ernest A. Greene, 4 hrs.	3.00

George R. Babbitt, truck 2 hrs.	2.00		
Ernest A. Greene, 3 posts	1.50		
Sanders Lumber Co., paint, etc.	4.57\$	34.27	
Lucy F. White, janitor service, state auditors		10.00	
		\$	44.27
Memorial Day. Appropriation	\$45.00.		
William Mitchell, 48 geraniums	26.40		
The Seeley Co., 8 dz. flags	16.00		
		—\$	42.40
Town Reports. Appropriation	\$448.00.		
Holmes Print Shop		\$	448.00
Building at Myricks Expense. Appropriation	\$213.80.		
Randall Dean & Co., Insurance	\$ 201.30		
Taunton Municipal Lighting Plant	10.00		
		—\$	211.30
Honor Roll. Appropriation and Balance,	\$58.48.		
Charles G. Bettencourt, care of lawn	\$20.00		
Manuel Rose, 2 wreaths	3.00		
The Wayside Florist, basket, spray	13.00		
		—\$	36.00
Workmen's Compensation Insurance. Appropriation less transfer	\$264.00.		
J. R. Tallman & Co., Inc.		\$	199.75
Unpaid 1947 Bills. Appropriation	\$866.32.		
Selectmen's Expense: Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	\$.85		
Fire Department: Berkley Gen. Store	2.05		
Highway Department: Snow re- moval and sanding payrolls	863.42		
		—\$	866.32
1947 Bill, School Light Fixtures. Appropriation	\$671.66.		
Tranter & Staples	\$ 671.66		
1947 Fire Department Bill, Railroad Fire. Appropriation	\$36.00.		
Payroll		\$	36.00
Care of Veterans' Graves. Appropriation	\$50.00.		
E. Roy Colpitt		\$	25.00
County Retirement System Assessment		\$	105.50

8. Cemeteries.

Cemetery. Appropriation \$100.00.

Lewis W. Ashley, labor and

trucks, 9 hrs. each

\$ 15.75

Wojciech Pysz, labor 10½ hrs.

9.37

\$ 25.12**9. Interest.**

Interest. Appropriation \$75.00.

The Machinists' National Bank

interest on \$15,000. loan

\$ 37.29

10. Agency.

County Tax

\$2,298.53

Proceeds of Dog Licenses, paid County Treasurer \$608.00

11. Trust.

Tailings.

John Moskol, check presented

\$ 1.92

Federal Withholding Taxes.

Collector of Internal Revenue

\$2,443.58

Blue Cross Deductions.

Massachusetts Hosp. Service, Inc. \$ 42.50

Refund overpayment, Edna C. Lincoln 1.25

\$ 43.75

County Retirement Deductions.

Bristol County Retirement Ass'n

\$ 209.84

12. Investment.

Giles Leach Fund, income deposited

\$ 45.00

13. Refunds.

Real Estate Taxes 1947, abated after

payment

\$ 204.60

M. V. Excise 1948, abated after

payment

6.67

Interest, taxes 1947, abated after

payment

9.52

\$ 220.79**Recapitulation of 1948 Cash Payments.****1. General Government:**

Moderator's Salary

\$ 20.00

Selectmen's Salaries

325.00

Selectmen's Expense

65.00

State Audit	262.75	
Auditor's Salary	55.00	
Treasurer's Salary	500.00	
Treasurer's Expense	290.11	
Tax Title Expense	295.26	
Tax Possession Expense	50.00	
Collector's Salary	500.00	
Collector's Expense	313.71	
Collector's Petty Cash	50.00	
Assessors' Salaries	800.00	
Assessors' Expense	139.93	
Town Counsel	55.00	
Town Clerk's Salary	150.00	
Town Clerk's Fees	75.00	
Town Clerk's Expense	28.47	
Elections and Registration	248.99	
Town Hall Expense	222.72	
	—————	\$ 4,447.90

2. Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	\$ 383.33	
Police Department special	500.00	
Fire Department	1,181.56	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	48.13	
Moth Department	699.00	
Tree Department	430.65	
Dog Officer	115.00	
	—————	\$ 3,357.67

3. Health and Sanitation:

County Tuberculosis Hospital	\$ 607.94	
Board of Health Expense	507.00	
Mosquito Control	25.00	
	—————	\$ 1,139.94

4. Highways:

Chap. 81 Highway Maintenance	\$12,598.42	
Chap. 90 Highway Maintenance	3,000.00	
Road Machinery Account	105.85	
Berkley-Dighton Bridge Account	363.60	
Snow Removal and Sanding	5,839.43	
Street Lights	99.84	
	—————	\$ 22,007.14

5. Charities and Veterans' Benefits:

Board of Public Welfare Salaries	\$ 150.00	
Temporary Aid, Administration	121.74	
Temporary Aid, Aid	3,161.82	
Aid to Dependent Children;		
Administration, Town Account	2.00	
Administration, Fed. Grants	29.09	
Aid, Town Account	909.31	
Aid, Fed. Grant account	877.72	
Old Age Assistance:		
Administration, Town Acct.	438.76	
Fed. Grant acct.	290.42	
Aid, Town Account	16,748.47	
Federal Grant Acct.	12,750.08	
Department of Veterans' Services	273.93	
		\$ 35,753.34

6. Schools and Libraries:

School Committee Salaries	\$ 160.00	
School Department	33,434.46	
School Dental Clinic	354.00	
Public Library	970.30	
Painting Library	328.00	
		\$ 35,246.76

7. Recreation and Unclassified:

State Parks and Reservations	\$ 77.15	
Incidentals	44.27	
Memorial Day	42.40	
Town Reports	448.00	
Building at Myricks Expense	211.30	
Honor Roll	36.00	
Workmen's Compensation		
Insurance	199.75	
Unpaid 1947 Bills	866.32	
1947 Bill, School Light		
Fixtures	671.66	
1947 Fire Department Bill,		
Railroad Fire	36.00	
Care of Veterans' Graves	25.00	
County Retirement System		
Assessment	105.50	
		\$ 2,763.35

8. Cemeteries: Cemetery	\$ 25.12
9. Interest: Interest	37.29
10. Agency:	
County Tax	\$2,298.53
Proceeds of Dog Licenses	608.00
	\$ 2,906.53
11. Trust:	
Tailings	\$ 1.92
Federal Withholding Taxes	2,443.58
Blue Cross Deductions	43.75
County Retirement Deductions	209.84
	<u>2,699.09</u>
12. Investment: Giles Leach Fund	45.00
13. Refunds	220.79
	<u>\$110,649.92</u>
Total, 1948 Cash Payments	\$110,649.92

Statement of Annual Reserve Fund

Appropriation \$1,000.00

Transfer by Finance Committee:

Collector's Expense	25.00
Town Hall Expense	30.00
Tree Department	331.00
Board of Health Expense	208.00
Library	77.00
Incidentals	25.00
	<u>\$ 696.00</u>

Statement of Town Debt

The Machinists' National Bank, Anticipation Revenue

Loan, Due Feb. 1, 1949 \$15,000.00

Statement of Trust and Investment Accounts

The Giles Leach Investment Fund

Balance, Jan. 1, 1948	\$ 1,915.80
Interest and dividends	47.16
Balance, Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 1,962.96

The Edwin H. Allen Cemetery Fund

Balance, Jan. 1, 1948	\$ 1,122.39
Interest	22.55
Balance, Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 1,144.94

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds

Balance, Jan. 1, 1948	\$ 5,381.86
Interest	81.89
Balance, Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 5,463.75

Post-War Rehabilitation Fund

Balance, Jan. 1, 1948	\$ 10,197.50
Increase in redemption value of securities	175.62
Balance, Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 10,373.12

Statement of Tax Titles

Balance Jan. 1, 1948, 33 titles	\$ 2,366.29
11 titles taken in 1948;	
1946 taxes, interest and costs	105.91
Subsequent taxes added to accounts;	
1948 taxes, interest to date certified	65.78
	—————\$ 2,537.98
Redemptions, 3 titles	\$ 708.24
1 title sold at foreclosure sale	45.46
Transferred to tax possessions,	
5 titles	631.06
Balance Dec. 31, 1948, 35 titles	1,153.22
	—————\$ 2,537.98

Statement of Tax Possessions

Balance Jan. 1, 1948, 8 possessions	\$ 608.99
Transferred from tax titles,	
5 possessions	631.06
	—————\$ 1,240.05
Sale of 2 possessions	\$ 180.00
Book value in excess of selling prices	82.59
Balance Dec. 31, 1948, 11 possessions	977.46
	—————\$ 1,240.05

List of Tax Possessions

Dec. 31, 1948

Former owners	Location of land	Book value
Caswell, et al	Bear Swamp, off Plan St.	\$ 58.41
G. E. White	Off Jerome St.	57.54
J. Correiro	Bear Swamp off Plain St.	27.92
A. H. Thurston	Assonet Beach lot	140.00
T. H. Parker	Off Plain St.	41.17
E. P. Dean	Off Bay View Ave.	21.36
John Hart	Off Plain St.	114.80
John Hart	Padelford St.	208.28
John Hart	Jerome St	69.24
John Hart	Jerome St	49.30
Julia Mann	Padelford and Seymour Sts.	189.44

These tax possessions are for sale by the town.

Departmental:				Town Hall Repairs	108.42	
Slaughtering Fees				Padelford St. Constr.	3,000.00	
Aid to Highways:				Land Damage Acct.	425.00	
State:				Honor Roll	22.48	3,884.18
Chapter 81						3,888.83
Underestimates 1948:				Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		
State Parks and Res.	\$	11.31		Overlays Reserved for		
County Tax		261.65		Abatement of Taxes:		
County Tb. Hosp. Asmt.		46.09		Levy of 1946	\$ 506.70	
				Levy of 1948	1,461.75	
Overlay Deficit, 1947						1,968.45
				Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
				Motor Vehicle Excise	\$ 640.15	
				Special Assessments	127.00	
				Tax Title and Tax Possession	2,130.68	
				Aid to Highways	2,182.12	
				Departmental	353.75	5,433.70
				Surplus Revenue		36,937.96
						\$68,420.88
Trust and Investment Funds, Cash and Securities				Trust and Investment Accounts		
				E. H. Allen Cemetery Fund	\$ 1,144.94	
				Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	5,463.75	
				Giles Leach Investment Fund	1,962.96	
				Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	10,373.12	
						18,944.77

I wish to apologize to all for the lateness of my report, which held up the printing and issuance of the annual town reports for 1948.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. G. ANDREWS

Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
School Committee
OF THE
TOWN OF
BERKLEY

For the Year Ending December 31, 1948

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

William A. Cox, Chairman	Term Expires
Berkley, Mass.	1949
Mrs. Ruth O. Babbitt, Secretary	1950
Berkley, Mass.	
Gil Bettencourt	1951
Berkley, Mass.	

Superintendent

John J. Rolfe, B. Ed., M. Ed.

Residence: 117 School Street, North Dighton

Office: Dighton High School, Segreganset

Telephone: Dighton 3361 (Office)

Taunton 2-0698 (Home)

Office Hours:

Monday through Friday, 8:30 a. m. to 9:30 a. m.
and by appointment

Secretary

Gladys P. Babbitt

School Physician

C. M. Souza, M. D.

Dighton

School Nurse

Ella Dillingham, R. N.

Berkley

Attendance Officer

William A. Cox

Berkley

GENERAL INFORMATION

Birth Certificates

Presentation of a birth certificate is required for entrance to first grade.

Vaccination

Every child who enters school for the first time must present a certificate of vaccination or a statement from his physician that vaccination is inadvisable.

No School Information

When weather conditions are such that our buses are unable to run, a no school notice will be broadcast over Radio Station WEAN at 7:05 a. m. and 8:20 a. m. and over Radio Station WBZ at 7:05 a. m., 7:30 a. m., and 8:30 a. m. Parents are urged to use their own good judgment about sending their children to school on stormy days. The fact that school is in session does not mean that attendance by all pupils is advisable.

Transportation

The law requires that transportation be provided for pupils residing more than two miles from the school attended or more than one mile from the nearest bus stop. Many pupils living at lesser distances along established routes are transported if the seating capacity of the bus will permit. From time to time it is necessary to refuse transportation to some of those living under the required distance when our buses are filled to capacity with children living at a greater distance.

Entrance Age

First grade registration in September of any year will be limited to those children who are at least six years of age or who will become six years of age on or before the following January first. There will be no exception to this ruling. Registration must be during the first three weeks of school in September.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of the Town of Berkley :

Herewith is submitted my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Berkley. Incorporated herein is the report of the Berkley School Committee. Only the most pertinent information is set forth here. Further details will be furnished by the School Office to any who might be interested.

Personnel

During the year we had only one change in our teaching staff. Mrs. Florence Brown a graduate of Bridgewater Teachers' College, was chosen by the School Committee as a teacher at the Berkley School to replace Miss Katherine Rogers who resigned. Mrs. Brown who teaches grades three and four has had twelve years of teaching experience in Swansea in addition to substitute experience in Taunton. Miss Kula was transferred to the second and third grade room.

In order that Berkley might be able to keep its teaching force intact the School Committee on November 24, 1948 approved an increase of \$200. for each teacher effective as of January 1, 1949, with a further increment of \$200. in September of 1949. As has been mentioned in previous reports, Berkley must pay a salary scale comparable to that paid in Taunton if it wishes to retain the present staff and if it wishes to maintain the standards of efficiency that now exist. Failure to recognize the seriousness of the problem and refusal to make the adjustments necessary will affect the progress of all the pupils of Berkley. The effect on the tax rate will be discussed under the financial section of this report, but the citizens of the Town must always bear in mind that the situation is not one that can be viewed in terms of what should be paid to teachers, but in terms of what must be paid. Statewide and nationwide the teacher shortage is worse than ever and many communities such as Berkley that have a relatively low per capita valuation must make a supreme effort to retain those teachers who have proven themselves to be of a superior type or lose them to other communities. The possibility of replacement with personnel of equal ability is almost hopeless.

Financial

This year the Town received in reimbursements from the State on account of Schools the sum of \$16,346.41. The School Department turned back to the Town the sum of \$778.24, making the net cost of school operation \$17,088.05.

The amended Chapter 70 of the General Laws which was passed by the 1948 Legislature replaces the reimbursements formerly received as high school tuition and those received under General School Fund Statements Part I and Part II. According to Section 10 of this Act, "school committees shall annually, in submitting estimates of the amount of money necessary for the proper maintenance of schools, include their estimate of the amount of school aid the town will receive under this Chapter, and of other reimbursements to be received from the Commonwealth on account of the support of schools. In making recommendations for appropriations for the support of schools, the finance committees of towns and similar committees in cities shall specify the estimated amount to be received as such school aid or reimbursements from the Commonwealth and the amount to be raised by local taxation".

Berkley will receive more money from the Commonwealth in 1949 on account of schools than it received in 1948 because of this new law. From the information that we have, Tax Commissioner Long is allowing considerably more on his so-called "cherry sheet" for the Town than was allowed last year as estimates of income to be used in figuring the tax rate. All income must, by statute go into the town treasury, but may be used with tax income to meet appropriations made at the Town Meeting.

Several bills providing for further State Aid for education will be presented to the 1949 Legislature for consideration. Such legislation would assist Berkley considerably. The original bill of 1948 was so changed that many of the small towns benefitted but little. A federal Aid Bill for education on an equalization basis will be presented to the United States Congress and will have a good chance of passage. This Bill will particularly benefit the poorer states.

Out of the 118 towns in the State with populations under 5000 and not maintaining a high school, only in eight is the amount of taxes paid per capita less than in Berkley.

School Plant

The following repairs and improvements were undertaken during 1948:

1. Painting of ceiling in Mrs. Unsworth's room.
2. Painting of window sashes and casings in three rooms and painting of auditorium walls.
3. Replacement of water pump with one of greater capacity.
4. Re-setting of flagpole.
5. Purchase of ten new desks.
6. Purchase of liquid duplicating machine.
7. Replacement of sections of school fence.
8. Cleaning and repair of furnaces.
9. New outside door of auditorium.
10. Replacement of urinal waterpipes in boys' basement.
11. General minor repairs.

For years we have needed a drinking fountain in the west hall of the building. At the present time the children in Mrs. Unsworth's room either have to pass through other class rooms or go downstairs and across the basement to get a drink. The installation of such a drinking fountain would cost \$138.00 but it seems that providing adequate drinking facilities must wait until installation costs come down.

General

The moving picture projector that was purchased by the Woman's Club is available for use in the Berkley School. The availability of this machine will make it possible to expand our audio-visual aids program appreciably. The gift of a radio for the school has also helped out our program. The purchase of cloth for blackout curtains has made it possible to show films at any time. Previously, adequate results could be attained on dark days only.

The School Committee was able to find but one company interested in bidding on our coal contract. The Pratt Coal Company, the concern that has supplied for the past few years was awarded the contract for its bid of \$18.60 per ton. This included the cleaning of the furnaces.

Our dental clinic is a definite sign of progress in the school. This program is for all of the pupils in the school.

Those who can afford it pay one dollar per operation. Those who cannot pay are taken care of at no cost. It is not necessary to be on welfare to receive free treatment as we recognize that there are children who are borderline cases and must be taken care of. It is definitely not a charity clinic but one that is set up to encourage dental care of all of the children.

Conclusion

Although many of the improvements in the Berkley School have come about through many difficulties, it seems that after they have become an established fact the townspeople are enthusiastic about them. We should continue to endeavor to provide as harmonious surroundings as possible and as good an education as the times allow.

The School Committee and the Superintendent wish to express their appreciation to the townspeople for their co-operation during the past year and solicit their support for the education of the children of Berkley during the coming years.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. ROLFE,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Superintendent John J. Rolfe
Berkley, Mass.

Dear Mr. Rolfe:

I hereby submit my annual report as school nurse for the Town of Berkley.

Health is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being and not merely the absence of diseases or infirmity. In this coming year may we all strive for better health.

A physical examination was given to every pupil by Charles M. Souza, M. D. These periodic examinations are important and are made to inform parents of defects which need correcting. Swollen glands and large and infected tonsils were outstanding defects found.

Posture is a growing problem. The time to form good habits of posture is when we are young and pliable. The teachers are stressing correct posture throughout the school. It is our aim to have every pupil posture-conscious.

A vision test was given to every pupil. Six pupils had difficulty with the test. The parents were notified and all six pupils were taken to an optometrist for a thorough examination. Five of the pupils needed glasses. The sixth pupil had a muscular defect which can be corrected at this time without glasses. It was very gratifying to both the teachers and myself to have such prompt response by the parents.

The diphtheria preventive clinic was not as well attended as in previous years. Diphtheria immunization is very largely responsible for the fact that both case rate and death rate from this disease are now only one twentieth as high as they were thirty years ago. We should be profoundly grateful that a way has been found to save so many lives. A diphtheria prevention clinic will be held in the early spring. Be wise! Immunize. Be sure your child is protected.

I am glad to report the dental clinic is running smoothly. Forty-three children have had all dental work completed. The floride sodium treatment to prevent tooth decay is available to pupils in the third and sixth grades. I hope every pupil will take advantage of this opportunity. Tooth decay usually begins by neglect. The mouth provides the warmth, moisture and nourishment which are needed by bacteria to reproduce.

Correct eating habits, careful cleaning and regular visits to your dentist will largely avoid future trouble. The dental clinic is a necessary part of our school health program and is a step forward towards better health.

Through the efforts of the seventh and eighth grades, the 1948 March of Dimes Campaign was a success in Berkley. One hundred and eight dollars (\$108.00) was collected by the pupils. This was an excellent job and we can all be proud of the record and of the boys and girls who were so willing to do the work.

I feel more emphasis should be placed on the preventive aspect of school health work. It is a very difficult task to deal with health problems through the school unless the home is brought more closely into the school health program. I hope that it will be possible for me to make more home visits next year.

I wish to thank the teachers, school committee and the parents for their interest in the school health program. The cooperation is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLA F. DILLINGHAM, R. N.

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Superintendent John J. Rolfe
Berkley, Mass.

Dear Mr. Rolfe:

I take pleasure in submitting my annual report as Music Supervisor in the schools of Berkley.

Although music is not required by the State of Massachusetts, yet thinking people everywhere have come to recognize its educational value to the child, and so it has become a necessary subject in the school curriculum. Unfortunately, in most rural schools, it is limited to just class room instruction from a song book. There is no time allowed for a broader knowledge of music appreciation through the use of the phonograph. This is not the case with Berkley, however, where this work is carried on regularly every two weeks and the selections employed have been those adapted to the age and grade of the child. There is no more fascinating study nor more cultural

than the art of music. Pupils hearing any of the selections over the radio recognize old and familiar friends. A teacher remarked to the supervisor recently after listening to a lesson on Grieg's PEER GYNT, "How much more the music means when you know the story back of it all." Certainly the music of the great masters would not have lived through the years if it had not had intrinsic value. What we sing our children will sing. They are not born with bad tastes but often have it thrust upon them.

Gretchen, in Germany, scrubbing her floor is singing tunes from Wagner; the street boy in Rome is whistling Verdi's musics. Why should the American child be filled with the syrupy masterpieces of mawkish sentimentality, here today and gone tomorrow. Who, today is singing "Let Me Put My Arms About You"? But we still hear that beautiful tribute of love, "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes."

Children of the lower grades have used the rhythm band, sometimes orchestrating the songs they have learned. Older pupils using the instruments have had sheet music and learned some of the fundamentals of the orchestral score. They all respond enjoyably to these lessons.

The four upper grades are learning the building of the major scales and how keys are established. They recognize the reason for the peculiar melodies of those countries whose music is based on the five-tone scale instead of the eight.

All the classes have followed the prescribed course of study. In the first grade the supervisor experimented on the possible ability of the children in tonic chord writing from dictation. A most gratifying result was seen. Some children work with ease and flash-like speed in placing "do-mi-sol" on the staff. To work at the board is always a joy to the child; it holds the attention of those in the seats, and reveals to the teacher where help is most needed.

In closing I wish to thank all those who have given me such courteous co-operation this past year.

Yours truly,

LOIS J. SNOW,

Music Supervisor

GRADUATION PROGRAM

BERKLEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

June 8, 1948

Auditorium

8 P. M.

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL

INVOCATION

Rev. Wayne Philbrook

RESPONSE

"Prayer from Rinaldo"

(Handel)

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Irene Rose

CHORUS

"Neapolitan Nights"

"Florian's Song"

(Godard)

RECITATIONS

"Soil Conservation"

Charles Ashley

"Pippa Passes" Edith Fernandes (Robt. Browning)

CHORUS

"Pippa's Song"

(Wm. G. Hammond)

RECITATIONS

"Good Citizens"

Antone Tavares

"The Graduates' Challenge"

Shirley Babbitt

CHORUS

"Valleys of Memory"

(Brecht)

ADDRESS

Dr. Howard Carroll

Superintendent of Schools, Taunton

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Mr. John J. Rolfe

Superintendent of Schools

BENEDICTION

Rev. Wayne Philbrook

RECESSIONAL

Lois J. Snow, Music Supervisor

GRADUATES

Charles Munroe Ashley
Shirley Babbitt
Barbara Jane Baldwin
Jane Crandell Briggs
Daniel D. Cambra
Kenneth W. Carpenter
Florence Elizabeth Delano
Jeanette E. DeMille
Francis Everett DeMoura
Edith Fernandes
James Joseph Furtado
James Edward Garrity
Carl Overlock
Virginia Irene Reagan
Elizabeth Ann Rines
Irene Rose
Antone Tavares
Donald Richard Wonchoba

**BERKLEY PUPILS ATTENDING
DIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL****DECEMBER 31, 1948****Freshmen**

Charles Ashley	Edith Fernandes
Shirley Babbitt	*James J. Furtado
Jane Briggs	*James E. Garrity
Daniel Cambra	Virginia I. Reagan
*Kenneth Carpenter	Elizabeth Rines
Florence Delano	Irene Rose
	*Donald Wonchoba

Sophomores

Joan E. Aquas	†Hilda Nunes
Edith Braley	*Patrick Rose
Stuart Hunter	Joseph Slivinski

Juniors

John W. Barrow	Isobell J. King
*Charles Bettencourt	Marilyn MacKintosh
Eva Briggs	Sally Ann Milko
Margaret DeMoura	*John Rose
Elsie Furtado	Ralph E. Sherman
Robert Hunter, Jr.	Lois Townley
*Richard Longton	Walter Wonchoba

Seniors

Martha Bindon	Bettina Poole
Frances Crimlisk	June A. Reed
Priscilla Dillingham	Evelyn G. Remy
*Stanley F. Hadro	*Francis A. Rose
Francis Moskal	Dorothy Stetson

*Vocational Shop students

†Household Arts student

TAUNTON VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Edward White

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — 1948

Appropriation \$34,212.70

Expenditures

General Control	\$ 1,116.80	
Teachers' Salaries	12,553.89	
Books and Supplies	900.59	
Janitors' Salary	1,831.17	
Fuel	930.41	
Repairs	494.79	
New Equipment	545.53	
Health	566.66	
Transportation	8,014.36	
Tuition	6,000.30	
Miscellaneous	119.94	
Electricity	86.98	
Insurance	273.04	
Returned to Town	778.24	
	<hr/>	34,212.70
Expenditures		33,434.46

Receipts — 1948

Reimbursement Teachers' Salaries		
Part I	\$ 1,690.00	
Reimbursement Teachers' Salaries		
Part II	2,461.97	
Reimbursement Voc'l. Tuition		
and Transportation	1,498.29	
Reimbursement Supt's. Salary		
and Travel	197.47	
State Wards, Tuition and Transp.	115.52	
High School, Tuition	3,393.16	
Transportation	6,990.00	
	<hr/>	16,346.41
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NET COST TO TOWN		\$17,088.05

ENROLLMENT — October 1, 1948

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Marion E. Redford	20								20
Catherine M. Kula		23	8						31
Florence Brown			10	21					31
Edna C. Lincoln					17	17			34
A. Louise Unsworth							18	16	34
Totals	20	23	18	21	17	17	18	16	150

AGE-GRADE ENROLLMENT — October 1, 1948

Grade	Age															Totals
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15					
1	4	16														20
2		6	16	1												23
3			3	11	3	1										18
4			3	7	9	2										21
5					8	6	2	1								17
6						3	12	1	1							17
7							4	9	5							18
8								1	7	7	1					16
	4	22	22	19	20	12	18	12	13	7	1					150

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1949

- School opens January 3, 1949
 closes February 18, 1949
- School opens February 28, 1949
 closes April 15, 1949
- School opens April 25, 1949
 closes June 10, 1949
- School opens September 7, 1949
 closes December 23, 1949
- School will close on the following days:
 April 15, Good Friday
 May 30, Memorial Day
 October 28, Teachers' Convention
 November 11, Armistice Day
 November 24 and 25, Thanksgiving Recess

BERKLEY SCHOOL FACULTY

School	Teacher	Degree	Address	Education	App'd.
Berkley Grammar School	A. Louise Unsworth		15 Forest St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1939
	Catherine M. Kula	B. S. in Ed.	59 Park St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1944
	Marion E. Redford	B. S. in Ed.	35 Jefferson St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1945
	Florence N. Brown		23 First St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1948
	Edna C. Lincoln	B. S. in Ed.	38 Ingell St., Taunton	Bridgewater	1942
MUSIC SUPERVISOR					
	Lois J. Snow		27 Couch Street, Taunton		
JANITOR					
	Walter E. Hamilton, Sr.		Pleasant Street, Dighton		

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